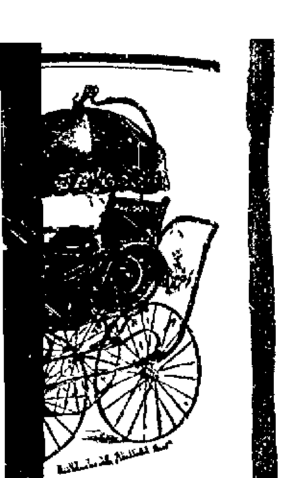

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Yours Respectfully, MRS. WM. PLUCK.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY }

In the Circuit Court to the September Term A D 1889

David E Mixell vs Emma Mixell—In Chancery

Affidavit of the non residence in this state of said Emma Mixell, the defendant in the above entitled cause, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of said county, notice is hereby given to the said Emma Mixell that the above named complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the next September term of said court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county on the fourth Monday in the month of September, A D 1889.

Now unless you the said Emma Mixell, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true and a decree rendered, according to the prayer thereof.

Dated Decatur, Ill, June 12th, 1889
L. McCLELLAN Clerk

June 12 d1w

Notice of Final Settlement.

Estate of John Hogan

To James Hogan, James Cleary, Patrick Cleary, Sarah Dalton nee Cleary and all Heirs or Distributees of said Estate

You are hereby notified that on Tuesday the 16th day of July 1889 the Administrator of said Estate will present to the County Court of Macon county, at the County Judge's office in Decatur Illinois his final report of his acts and doings as such Administrator, and ask the Court to be discharged from any and all further duties and responsibilities connected with said estate, and his administration thereof, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application if you choose so to do.

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June21 d3w Administrator of said Estate

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Amusements of Royalty.

Near the palatial home of the Montezumas were many edifices erected solely for the pleasure of the reigning monarch; prominent was an aviary, in which birds of splendid plumage were gathered—

Creatures of wondrous tint, delightsome to the eye,
And some, full throated, pouring out
Their gladsome songs

Three hundred attendants had charge of this rare company of plumy people, to feed them, give them a daily bath, collect scattering plumage, especially in moulting season, thus furnishing material for Aztec painters, was the all engrossing care.

Somewhat farther away birds of prey were also luxuriously domiciled—vultures and eagles and other "villainous eyed desperadoes," for these, too, much thought was given, their usual bill of fare (a daily allowance) included among other dainties five hundred plump and toothsome turkeys.

And still beyond, strongly barricaded, were cages for wild animals, reptiles and serpents, the slimy, coiling, head erecting creatures held high carnival in long cages lined with down or feathers, or, if they needed recreation, troughs of mud and water were at their service.

To all these prisoners of state were given apartments both light and airy, ample enough as well, in which to move untrammeled, such were imperial orders, and keepers of strength and fearlessness were devoted to their comfort and cleanliness.

"Extensive gardens surrounded these buildings, full of fragrant shrubs and flowers, and many medicinal plants were cultivated; and fountains of pure water threw up sparkling jets."

Ten large tanks well stocked with fish afforded sport for the lazy angler, and water fowl could here disport the livelong day.

A pavement of tessellated marble inclosed the ample basins, which were overhung by light and fanciful pavilions, admitting the perfumed breezes of the gardens and offering grateful shelter to the monarch and his friends in sultry summer heats.

This was in the reign of Montezuma Second, early in the Sixteenth century. —Harper's Bazar.

Experience

There is no educator like experience. It is the stepping stone in life's stream, and the man who does not heed its lessons slips into the creek and gets drowned. Yes, experience is an excellent teacher, although it often charges high wages.

Its lessons are always valuable and firmly fixed in the memory—stamped there by the force of circumstances. The little child that gleefully tries to mash a wasp on the window pane under the delusion that he is going to have some fun with a fly never makes that mistake a second time.

All through life we learn a great deal by merely finding out things we don't know.

In the language of the great apostle to the Gentiles, Carl Pretzel, "Oxberience vas bully deacher. Der only trouble mit him vas dot he gives his knowledge ond vhen it vas pooty late."

Very often experience is a physician who never comes until after the disorder is cured. The old and those who have mixed largely with the world comprehend the fact that no education is available that is not practical. These are the men who, when they go to New York, are cold and unsympathetic when the bunco man calls them by their right names and asks for information about the old folks and all the neighbors.

On the other hand, the man whose life has been spent in study is easily taken in, and has to telegraph home for money to pay his hotel bill. When he returns to his quiet study in the romantic little country village, he is the mark for ridicule and the unconscious butt of men who do not possess one tithe of his learning.

There are men who utterly fail to profit by the lessons of experience. For instance, there is a man in Illinois who is living with his ninth wife. The other eight attempts look like experiments that have failed, but from which he has derived no wisdom. To such men experience is like the stern light of a ship, which illuminates only the track it has passed. —Texas Siftings.

A Refrigerator in a Church Tower

The church and the ale house have been frequently associated by the irreverent, but it remained for the city of London to exhibit an instance of a well known church being actually occupied by the kitchen servitors of a restaurant. One of the church wardens of this church recently ascended the tower and discovered that the cooks of a neighboring eating house—the kitchen being situated at the top of the building—had made an entrance into the tower and utilized it as a storehouse. No doubt it was a cool and safe chamber, but it is scarcely necessary to add that the legs of mutton, Camembert cheese, and the other dainties were bundled forth without any ceremony and measures adopted to protect the sacred edifice from such worldly intrusion in the future. —London Press.

Gameness Indicated by Color.

Many people might smile if I said that a horse's color was an index to his gameness, but such is the case, as I have found from experience, says a veterinary surgeon. I have closely noted this fact and have had an opportunity to judge, having performed thousands of operations on horses, some of them sufficiently painful to test the gameness of the subject. I have found that the most arrant cowards among horses are sorrels and the gamest brutes bays or browns. Some time ago I performed an operation on a pair of chestnut sorrels and they groaned like human beings. A bay or brown will usually suffer without a noise of any kind, just rolling its big eyes in an appealing way which is almost human in its intensity. Gray and white horses, as a rule, are not particularly game.

Whatever the number of a man's friends, there will be times in his life when he has one too few; but if he has only one enemy, he is lucky indeed if he has not one too many. —Bulwer Lytton.

The Verdict Unanimous.

W. D. Suit, Druggist, Bippus, Ind., testifies: "I can recommend Electric Bitters as the very best remedy. Every bottle sold has given relief in every case. One man took six bottles, and was cured of Rheumatism of 10 years' standing." Abraham Hare, druggist, Belleville, Ohio, affirms: "The best selling medicine I have ever handled in my 20 years' experience is Electric Bitters." Thousands of others have added their testimony, so that the verdict is unanimous that Electric Bitters do cure all diseases of the liver, kidneys or blood. Only half a dollar a bottle at Dr. A. J. Stoner's Drug Store. bm

You can get anything you want in the shoe line, any size, any width of last, any style you prefer, at Ferriss & Lapham's. Stock is beyond comparison larger than that of any other shoe house in Decatur. Purchases from first hands in large quantities by the wholesale house of Ferriss & Co. at Chicago give us goods at lower prices than other dealers here can buy for. Consequently we can always sell you shoes for less money than you can get the same quality of goods for elsewhere.
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For first-class upholstery and furniture repairing, also for awnings, in any style, go to A. BREM, 243 North Main street. Telephone 172. june22 d3m

THE Illinois Central Co. is now running elegant reclining chair cars on their trains Nos. 3 and 4 between Dubuque and Centralia, leaving Decatur for Dubuque at 12 11 midnight, and for Centralia at 10 20 a. m. 24-dtf

Excursion Rates to Storm Lake.

Storm Lake, Iowa, only 80 miles east of Sioux City, is coming into prominence not only on account of it being a beautiful town, but because of its fine lake, five miles long by two miles wide, that has already become a Popular Summer Resort, furnishing the customers facilities at such watering places for Boating, Bathing, Fishing, etc. The location of this resort, on the main line of the Illinois Central Railroad in Iowa, makes it especially convenient, and it has therefore been made a Tourists Point, to which round trip tickets can be sold as follows: Decatur to Storm Lake and return, $20.85. Tickets limited to October 31, 1889. For excursion circulars address the undersigned at Manchester, Iowa. J. F. MERRY, G. W. P. Agt
June 17

Excursion to Tennessee

Many inquiries have been made at this office for Excursion Rates to Tennessee, and other points in the South. The only excursion rate likely to be made South before August or September is the Illinois Central excursion to Nashville, Tenn., in July. From Nashville one fare excursion rates are made to all principal points in the south. For full information address the undersigned at Manchester, Iowa.
... J. F. MERRY, G. W. P. Agt

Excursion to Nashville, Tenn,

On account of meeting of National Educational Association the I. D. & W. Ry will sell excursion tickets Decatur to Nashville at rate of one fare for round trip plus $2.00 for membership fee in association. Tickets on sale July 1st to 12th inclusive, and good returning July 16th to September 10th inclusive. For further information apply at ticket office Union Depot, or to C. G. DORWIN, Gen Agt I. D. & W. Ry.

Fourth of July Excursion

The I., D. & W. Railway will on July Third and Fourth sell Excursion tickets to all points on its line at the rate of One Fare for the round trip. Tickets good going on date of sale, and good returning up to and including July 5th.
C. G. DORWIN,
June... Gen'l Agent I., D. & W. Ry.

Fourth of July.

On July 3d and 4th the P. D. & E. R. R. will sell Excursion tickets to all stations on their line at One Fare for the round trip, good to return up to July 5th. C. O. HUDSON,
...dtd Ticket Agent.

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On July 3d and 4th the I. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets to all stations on their line at one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be good to return until July 5th. ...dtd

Eureka Springs, Arkansas.

Any invalid or sick person addressing Geo. Lower, Agt. Frisco Line, Decatur, Ill., will receive by mail an illustrated book of Eureka Springs, also a large picture of these Springs. See Frisco Line notice in another column.
June 11 dtf

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100 26-inch Umbrellas, Gold Handle, at $1.00 EACH.	French Flannels for Ladies' and Misses' Blouse Waists at 25c PER YD.
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One Lot of some 50 Parasols, worth from $3 50 to $4.00, marked down to $2.00 EACH.	25 Pieces of India Silks, reduced from 85c to 69c A YARD.
30 Pieces of Fancy Curtain Scrims, at 10c PER YD.	Fauntelroy RUCHING, in Silk, Lisse and Lace.
One Case of Lawns at 3c PER YD.	Fauntelroy COLLARS and CUFFS.
One Case of Satines, good Styles, at 8c PER YD.	30 Dozen Gents' Silk Neck-Ties, Satin Lined, reduced to 25c EACH.
One case of Choice New Patterns in Challies, at 6¼c PER YD.	Gents' Neglige FLANNEL SHIRTS, at $1.00, $1.50, $1.75 AND $1.9... EACH.
2500 Yards of Fancy French Satines, good styles, reduced to 25c PER YD.	Gents' Neglige Silk and Wool Shirts, at $3.50 EACH.

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WEDNESDAY EVE., JULY 3, 1889.

THE song that is a great favorite with disappointed applicants for consulships "Thou art so near and yet so far."

GOV. FIFER yesterday appointed as members of the Commission on Claims, E. D. Blinn, of Lincoln; Robly D. Adams, of Fairfield, and Wilson S. Kay, of Watseka.

DEMOCRATIC newspapers are not so jubilant over the nomination of Foraker as they were at first, and the more they think it over the worse they like it. There is not near so much laughing on the back seats as there was a week ago.

THE official vote of Pennsylvania, on the prohibitory amendment has been published. The figures are: For the amendment, 296,617; against the amendment, 484,111; majority against, 188,027. It was a bad day for the "Wets."

THE Pennsylvania Democrats, we are told, will not attempt to defeat the Republican candidate for state treasurer this year, but will reserve all their strength for 1890. Profound fellows, those Pennsylvania Democrats.

BRICE, the new chairman of the Democratic National Committee, is still engaged in chasing rainbows. He now professes to see in the dim distance a Democratic victory in Kansas. In the language of the Kentuckian, "Great Oawd!"

THE secretary of the navy has directed that, on and after July 4th, the United States Flag, which has waved for thirteen years with thirty-eight stars, shall be replaced with the new flag with forty-two stars on the field of blue. The arrangement of stars on the new flag will consist of six rows of seven stars each.

JOE MACKIN was asked last night, just as he was leaving the prison, what his politics would be now. "B'ys," said the fine worker, "I'm a Democrat. I always have been and always will be one." With a Democrat for mayor, and with the record of his former distinguished services for the party and his unparalleled sufferings in its behalf, Joe will be entitled to a first class place in the city government.

CHAUNCEY DEPEW sails for Europe today, with his family. He is a most dutiful husband, or probably it would be better to say "a well managed husband." He says he did not intend to go across this year, but during his temporary absence Mrs. Depew arranged it all, bought the tickets and made all the arrangements. And Chauncey went with her, like the obedient husband he is, so that there is joy in the Depew household.

Appointed.

Senator Dan Hogan was yesterday appointed collector of the Cairo district and immediately left Washington for the city at the forks, to begin the official duties for which he has waited so long and (im)patiently. The senator was a candidate for the same office eight years ago, and his commission had been made out, but through the interposition of Gen. Logan the matter was reconsidered and Gen. Pavey was appointed. Last year Hogan wanted to be nominated for Auditor but was beaten by Pavey again, but this time he had no opposition from Pavey, and has "got there." We congratulate the senator on his long delayed success.

The President's Fourth.

On yesterday President Harrison and his party left Washington for Woodstock, Conn., to assist Mr. Henry C. Bowen in celebrating the Fourth at that place. The Woodstock celebration is one of the institutions of Connecticut, and is under the sole supervision of Mr. Bowen, who furnishes everything needful, invites the guests, provides the speakers and cal's in the people of the town and country to assist and participate in observing the national birthday. On many occasions he has had for his guests some of the most distinguished men of the country, and the oratorical part of the programme has frequently been furnished by the most noted speakers in all the land. There is no celebration in all the land like it, and Mr. Bowen's name is inseparably connected with it.

The Pardon of Mackin.

The pardon of Joe Mackin, the "fine worker," will not be universally indorsed by the people of the state. There are some people, doubtless, who will believe with the governor that the petitions of so many good citizens as joined in the appeal for clemency are entitled to some consideration at the hands of the executive but the largest part of the people are firmly convinced that crimes against the sanctity of the ballot should not be condoned, even by the remission of a small part of the sentence. Mackin was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary, and as he has been an exceptionally good prisoner his time was shortened by the good time law to three years and nine months, and would have expired on the 18th of August, so that Gov. Fifer gave him his freedom about six weeks earlier than would have been the case if no pardon had been granted. It is probable that the ends of justice have been fulfilled as well as they would be if Mackin had been permitted to serve out his full term, but there rests about a pardon a flavor of justification, or an admission that the punishment did not fit the crime, which the people are not willing [illegible] endorse in this case. They are not [illegible] to admit that the punishment de[illegible] by the court in his case was a single [illegible] when the grave crime of [illegible] he was convicted is considered. [illegible] ere are too many violators of the election laws, there is too much ballot-box stuffing, there are too many votes cast illegally, to justify the governor in exercising the high prerogative of the pardoning power when one of the criminals is caught and convicted. It is the general belief that the penalty fixed by the statute for crimes of this kind is not severe enough, and ought to be increased rather than diminished. There is no crime in the whole catalogue of crimes that calls for punishment more loudly [illegible] that of attempting to thwart the [illegible] people.

[illegible] at $1, $1.25, $1.50 and [illegible] Lapham's. Other [illegible] on these 19-dtf

AN AWFUL ACCIDENT.

An Entire Passenger Train Goes Through a Washed-Out Culvert,

And the Shapeless Mass of Wreckage With Its Precious Human Freight

Burned to Cinders Before the Eyes of Spectators Powerless to Render Assistance.

An Awful Disaster.

LYNCHBURG, Va., July 2.—A half-mile east of Thaxton's, thirty miles west of this city, occurred at three o'clock this morning the most appalling railroad accident which Virginia has ever known. The east-bound passenger train on the Norfolk & Western railroad was passing over a culvert when the track gave way and the whole train went through to the bottom, twenty-five feet below. The accident was caused by a wash-out due to the heavy rains which have fallen within the last three days. All of the cars, five in number, with the engine, were piled up in a hopelessly-confused mass. The darkness which reigned over all for a moment was quickly dispelled as the wood-work of the cars was ignited by flames from the lamps.

It was only a few minutes after that the wreck was all ablaze, and to the horror of bruised and broken limbs and mangled bodies was added the certainty of a fearful death by fire. Many had gone to their death quickly, but the shrieks and groans of the wounded, pinned down by the heavy timbers and by rods of twisted iron as the flames slowly crept towards them and began their awful work, made the scene one of intense horror.

Those who were able to crawl from the wreck lent their aid by the light of the flaming timbers to their less fortunate companions. But little could be done for them. There were no tools at hand with which to cut the timbers that held them down, and they lay there helpless, and were roasted in full sight of those who had been fortunate enough to escape.

Thus far the charred remains of seven or eight human beings have been taken from the wreck. They are badly mutilated, and it is impossible in any way to identify them. Their names will not be known unless a list of the occupants of the cars can be obtained. It is believed that fully thirty people have been killed. It is difficult, however, to obtain any definite information because of the obstructions placed in the way of news-gathering by the railroad officials.

Further Particulars—Partial List of the Killed and Injured.

BALTIMORE, Md., July 3.—The Sun's special from Roanoke, Va., says: The east-bound passenger train on the Norfolk & Western railroad, which left here at 12:05 a. m. yesterday was wrecked at Thraxton's, twenty-two miles distant from this city. The baggage, express, smoker, passenger and two Pullman cars were burned, having taken fire from the explosion of a gasoline lamp in one of the coaches. The train went into a chasm created by a wash out while it was going at the rate of forty miles an hour. It is impossible to give an exact list of the killed and wounded on account of the meagerness of the information obtainable. There is only one wire in use between Roanoke and the scene of the accident, and it is next to impossible to get any thing over it but railroad business. The killed as far as ascertained are:

Patrick Donovan, Lynchburg, Pa.

Charles Bruce, Roanoke, Va.

Fireman L. B. Summers, Abingdon, Va.

Mail Agent Nathan Cohen, Roanoke.

W. C. Stead, Cleveland, Tenn., en route to England.

J. W. Beal, Cleveland, Tenn., en route to Paris.

A. M. James, Roanoke, Va., traveling engineer of the road.

J. W. Hardy, Roanoke, Va., train dispatcher.

John Kirkpatrick, Lynchburg, Va.

Dennis Mullen, Roanoke, janitor of the general offices of the Norfolk & Western, en route to New York to be married.

A little niece of Mrs. Judge Thompson, of Staunton, Va.

It is believed that fifteen or twenty others perished, as there were nearly seventy persons on the train, and between fifteen and twenty are unaccounted for. The dead bodies were horribly cremated.

The injured are: Bishop Alpheus W. Wilson, of Baltimore; wrist cut and body slightly bruised. He is at the Hotel Roanoke here, and will be able to leave for Baltimore in a few days. The Bishop lost his gold watch, all his clothing, and $300. J. F. Temple, Pottsville, Pa., head and limbs burned; F. T. Dexter, Beverly, Mass., severely bruised on the head and body; J. B. Young, Radford, Va., arm mashed; Mrs. Judge Thompson, Staunton, Va., bruised and deranged with grief over the death of her niece; Roland Johnson, Roanoke, Va., conductor, frightfully cut on head and face; E. C. Du Barry, superintendent, bruised severely; W. C. Glass, Roanoke, baggage agent, arm broken; W. H. Hayward, Pullman conductor, shoulder hurt; J. D. Tanner, Lynchburg, badly bruised; Joseph Goldberg, New York, leg and shoulder bruised and hand hurt; Miss Inez Jackson, Tex., bruised; E. B. Goodfellow, Roanoke, hand and foot injured; J. C. Cassell, Roanoke, superintendent, arm hurt; M. D. Temple, Chicago, back injured; Mrs. R. B. Young, Marshall, Tex., body bruised.

On the body of Mr. W. C. Stead, of Cleveland, Tenn., was found the sum of $11,000. He was on his summer vacation and was going to England.

Caused by Criminal Carelessness.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 3.—Eli Mix, the coroner, who has been investigating the fatality which occurred on the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad a few miles north of here Saturday, handed his report to State's-Attorney Doolittle, yesterday afternoon. He finds that the accident was caused by the criminal carelessness of Thomas Shields, a section boss. Shields was in charge of a gang of men repairing the track where the accident occurred.

Sympathies with the Pope.

NEW YORK, July 3.—The Catholic News has received the following cablegram from its Roman correspondent:

> ROME, July 2.
> The Pope has received almost sixty thousand telegrams expressing sympathy for him anent the Bruno affair. He has ordered his private secretary, Monsignor Angeli, to collect them in a volume and present a copy to all the Bishops of the Catholic world as well as to all the Cabinets of Europe.

Carpets,

Wall Paper, Curtains. Now is the time to buy new styles. Immense stock and low prices at Abel's Carpet House.
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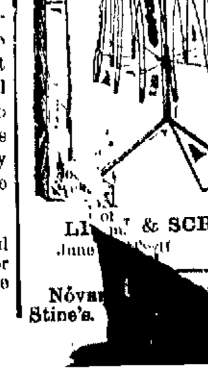
HALL'S SKIRT FORMS.



HALL'S Portable —AND— Adjustable DRESS & SKIRT Forms.

LI[illegible] & SCRUGGS, Agents.
June[illegible]

Novel[illegible] Jerseys[illegible] at Stine's.

THE BURKE CASE.

The Extradition Proceedings at Winnipeg, Man.

WINNIPEG, Man., July 3.—There was a large attendance of spectators in court yesterday to watch the proceedings in the Burke case. Assistant State's-Attorney Baker was present and made copious notes. The information was amended by the counsel for the prosecution by adding the aliases of Delany and Frank Williams to those of Martin Burke and Cooper. Burke looked as if confinement was wearing upon him. Counsel for the prosecution presented the depositions taken before the grand jury and a magistrate in Chicago, which were certified to by the United States Secretary of State and the Secretary of the British Legation. The prisoner's counsel objected to the indictment and statements before the grand jury being taken as evidence, but the judge intimated that they were sufficient. He did not know if it were even necessary for him to go beyond ascertaining the fact that Martin Burke was the man referred to in the Chicago indictment. The first deposition read was that of Hatfield, clerk in the furniture store.

The Burke Extradition Proceedings.

WINNIPEG, Man., July 3.—The most important evidence in the extradition proceedings yesterday against Martin Burke was that given by Martinson, the expressman, who gave particulars of his being engaged by Burke to haul furniture from No. 117 Clark street to the Carlson cottage. The witness said he noticed amongst the furniture a large empty trunk, and positively identified the prisoner as the man who hired and paid him. Additional witnesses will be examined to-day. Burke appeared agitated during the presentation of evidence.

Nothing New in the Cronin Case.

CHICAGO, July 3.—There were no new developments in the Cronin case yesterday, so far as the reporters were permitted to learn. Judge Longenecker said that nothing of importance had been turned up, but he had a long talk with Detective Palmer, and later with Luther Laflin Mills. The subject of the conversation in both cases was the Cronin business, but still Mr. Longenecker protested that nothing of consequence had happened. Should sufficient new evidence be found to warrant the calling of a special grand jury an effort will be made to have the same gentlemen who acted on the June jury serve on the July jury also. This will be done in order to avoid introducing the whole of the testimony anew.

Dr. McInerny Heard From.

NEW YORK, July 3.—Wm. Connolly, the superintendent of the labor bureau at Castle Garden, announced yesterday that he had received a message from his friend Dr. McInerny, whose disappearance has been connected by rumor with the Cronin tragedy. The message read: "I am well and was never in better health. My present mission, as you well know, has nothing whatever to do with politics or other public matters. I am away on purely personal matters.

A DESTRUCTIVE WATER-SPOUT.

Overflowing Streets and Bursting Sewers and Reservoirs.

ALTOONA, Pa., June 2.—A water-spout broke over this city about ten o'clock tonight doing great damage. The rain is now coming down in torrents, overflowing the streets and bursting the sewers. Reports from South Fork state that the great viaduct is in danger, and no trains from the West have come in since six o'clock. The Juniata is rising beyond its bounds at Tyrone, and if the storm continues middle division trains will be annulled until morning.

Kittanning Point reservoir, this city's water-supply, is expected to break. The water is pouring over its banks like a small Niagara. Should it go, the city will lose $100,000.

Mrs. H. L. Nicholson, wife of the Pennsylvania ticket agent, was struck by lightning, and is not expected to recover.

The Pennsylvania agent at Hollidaysburg, A. M. Hyle, wife and child, were found unconscious in their home from the effect of a stroke. The damage by the water-spout is widespread, and can not be estimated at this hour—midnight.

Johnstown Notes.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., July 3.—Judge Cummins, who has charge of the distribution of all the money collected for the benefit of the sufferers by the flood, arrived yesterday morning. He first held a conference with the local finance committee in regard to the manner in which the money now at his command, amounting to over three million dollars, should be distributed. After the conference, the judge stated that no serious difficulty was anticipated in making an equitable distribution.

"My ideas coincide with the local committee, except in one particular. I had arranged for the applicants to swear to the amount of his financial damage. The local committee is right in thinking that when a man is making his own statement he will make it as strong as possible. Precautions must be devised to guard against this. Each applicant will probably receive a certain percentage of the amount of his losses. Only the needy sufferers are to receive compensation, and some time must necessarily elapse to ascertain who are the really needy."

Captain Kuhn, of Johnstown, assumed full control of the commissary department yesterday morning, and will hereafter manage that department of relief.

Hereafter Johnstown citizens will be employed to do the work heretofore done by the military. The day for the final breaking of the military camp has not yet been determined.

The work of clearing Conemaugh continues. Men and teams are engaged in pulling out and piling the debris for burning.

Ten soldiers and forty workmen are on the sick list, but none of them are seriously ill.

Practical Charity with a View to Business.

CINCINNATI, July 3.—A special to the Evening Post from Brazil, Ind., says that President McKean of the Vandalia line has made a proposition to the operators to take their coal to Chicago at ten cents per ton less than present rates, if the operators will give ten cents per ton more to the miners for getting out the coal. This points a way out of the present difficulty. It has not yet been learned what action the operators have taken.

The Visible Supply of Wheat.

NEW YORK, July 3.—Special reports to Bradstreet's show a total of 8,000,000 bushels of wheat at Minneapolis, St. Paul, Milwaukee, Duluth and at over nine hundred interior elevators in Wisconsin, Minnesota and Dakota, as compared with 10,750,000 bushels one year ago, and 19,779,000 two years ago.

Mayor's Proclamation.

By virtue of the city ordinances, notice is hereby given that on the coming Fourth of July the firing of shot-guns, pistols and other fire arms within the city will be positively prohibited, and all persons found shooting any gun or pistol, or throwing firecrackers or other explosives on the sidewalks, will be promptly arrested. M. F. KANAN,
jun29-d4 Mayor.

Fireworks! Fireworks!

It couldn't be 4th of July without fireworks, and J. E. Saxton has laid in a big stock at the right prices. Firecrackers all sizes from the baby cracker to regular Jumbos; bombs to wake up the town, rockets all sizes, Roman candles from 1 ball to 20 balls, pin wheels, triangles, red heads, red lights, Bengal lights, serpents, crack shots, torpedoes, pistols, caps, etc., etc. Flags and Japanese lanterns, all sizes, at J. E. Saxton's book store, next door to the postoffice. 28-d5t

Decorative Art Needle Work.

Mrs. Fay and Miller, late of New York City, are at the New Deming hotel with a full line of all the latest designs in art needle work. Ladies are cordially invited to call at their rooms and examine specimens. Articles for sale and lessons given on reasonable terms. 25-d6*

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Recent Examination for Assistant Surgeons in the Marine Corps.

Appointments—Placed on the Retired List—Sunset Cox All Right.

Bids Received—The New Commissioner of Indian Affairs—The Cherokee Indian Commission.

Many Were Called, but Few Were Chosen.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—At the recent examination for assistant surgeons in the Marine Hospital service, there were twenty-six candidates examined. Secretary Windom yesterday approved the report of the board, which states that four of the candidates were found qualified for appointments. The successful candidates are John F. Greenwell, of Louisiana; George B. Young, of New York; Wm. G. Stimpson, District of Columbia, and Benj. W. Brown, of Virginia. They will be recommended to the President for appointment as vacancies occur in the order of merit as shown in the examination.

Appointments.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—Augustus Ricks, of Ohio, has been appointed United States Judge for the Northern district of Ohio, in place of Judge Day, who declined the position on account of ill-health. Judge Day was appointed a month ago.

The Attorney-General has appointed James Jackson, of Alabama, Assistant District-Attorney for the Northern and Middle districts of Alabama, in place of Dobbs, resigned.

J. C. Chaney, of Indiana, has been appointed an Assistant Attorney in the Department of Justice, in the place of E. J. May, resigned.

Placed on the Retired List at His Own Request.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—At his own request Colonel John G. Parke, of the Engineer Corps, the present superintendent of the West Point Military Academy, was yesterday placed on the retired list of the army. Colonel Parke has served forty years as an army officer. He was four times brevetted for gallant and meritorious services during the late war, the last time as Major-General. In 1887, he was appointed superintendent of the Military Academy, and has discharged the duties of this office with ability and with manifest credit to himself. Colonel Parke is a native of Massachusetts.

Sunset Cox Is Not Ill.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—A private telegram received in this city yesterday from Representative Cox, of New York, dated St. Paul, Minn., contradicts the report that he is ill. He left for Huron, Dak., to participate in the Fourth of July ceremonies there.

Bids for an Improved Form of Registered Package Envelope.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—Bids were opened yesterday by Third Assistant Postmaster-General Hazen for an improved form of registered package envelope. There were forty-two bids, and they embraced a great variety of designs.

The New Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—Mr. Thomas J. Morgan, of Rhode Island, the new Commissioner of Indian Affairs, arrived in the city yesterday. Mr. Morgan will take charge of the Indian Office in a few days.

The Cherokee Indian Commission.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—The members of the Cherokee Indian Commission left for their homes yesterday. They will go to the Cherokee country about July 25th.

THE COMING FIGHT.

A Dull Day in Prize-Fighting Circles.

NEW ORLEANS, July 2.—This has been a dull day in prize-fighting circles. The coming of the principals is being quietly awaited. It is not believed that the proclamation of Governor Lowry will interrupt the progress of arrangements for the fight. Arrangements for formally receiving the pugilists have been discussed, but the friends of both parties have expressed a desire that no demonstration be made until after the fight. Several members of the Young Men's Gymnasium club, however, will go out to meet Sullivan. The battle-ground has been definitely settled upon and no interference is anticipated.

Sullivan in Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, July 3.—The Bee Line train, which arrived at the Grand Central passenger station at 1:51 p. m. yesterday, brought in John L. Sullivan and party. As the big fellow alighted from the car a reporter stepped up and said: "How are you John?" "As fine as silk and tough as a whalebone," said Sullivan in a muffled voice. "You mustn't talk to me, I'm all right." Sullivan had on an overcoat with the collar turned up. He wore a silk hat pulled down over his ears, and as he rushed through the building he never looked to the right or the left. One of his trainers had him by the right arm and on his left he carried a bundle of shawls and wraps. His beard was heavy and looked as if it had not been shaved for some days.

"How long will you remain in Cincinnati," was asked. "I don't know," said one of the party. "It depends on circumstances."

Kilrain's Chances.

BALTIMORE, Md., July 3.—A friend of Kilrain's says Mitchell told him Monday that he thought the battle would be a long one; that Sullivan would try his old-time rushes and terrorizing style in the first few rounds, but that Kilrain's gameness and ability would prevent the big fellow from doing him any harm, and that Jake would make Sullivan work so lively that he would become winded, and then would come Jake's turn. Mitchell said that in his fight with Sullivan he had studied every trick of the big fellow, and that Kilrain will enter the ring as well acquainted with his antagonist's style of fighting as though they had fought before.

Four Business Blocks Burned.

HAILEY, Idaho, July 2.—Four business blocks were burned here this morning. The loss is estimated at $500,000.

While an express was running between Mayence and Mannheim, Germany, one of the passenger coaches left the tracks, and several American ladies and children were badly injured by broken glass. After their wounds had been dressed they proceeded to Baden.

SPECTACLES!

Exclusive Professional Attention to

Adjustment of Spectacles,

Opthalmoscopic Examination of Eyes from 8 to 12 a. m. and 1 to 5 p. m.

DR. T. P. HUBBELL

Optical Institute, 239 N. Main St.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The female prisoners in the Chester (Ill.) penitentiary were all transferred to Joliet yesterday on a special train.

—A man supposed to be W. J. Coster, cashier of the City Club of Buffalo, committed suicide at Hamilton, Ont., Monday, by cutting his throat with a table knife.

—The Portuguese Government has agreed to Lord Salisbury's proposal to submit the questions involved in canceling the Delagoa Bay railway concession to arbitration.

—News comes from Belgrade that M. Pacitch, Radical leader, will, in the coming session of the Skuptchina, introduce a motion for the permanent expulsion from Servia of King Milan.

—Thomas Bean, a Chicago roofer, was stabbed to the heart and instantly killed by an unknown man at the northwest corner of Randolph and Green streets early yesterday morning.

—Joseph Mackin, of Chicago, who was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary, in the spring of 1885, for perjury in connection with election frauds in 1884, was pardoned yesterday by Governor Fifer.

—The President yesterday appointed Daniel Hogan collector of internal revenue for the Thirteenth Illinois district, and H. Dunn postmaster at Shelbyville, and A. E. Hart, post master at Columbus, Ind.

—Mr Eglinton Francis, late manager of the American Insurance Company of Philadelphia, dropped dead from heart disease Monday evening on the street on the way to his home on Mount Auburn, Cincinnati.

—There were no more signatures to the Amalgamated scale up to noon yesterday. It is probable that the structural iron firms will not sign until the trouble at the Homestead plant of Carnegie & Co. is settled.

—The London Fortnightly Review, which appeared Monday, gives a larger share of its space to the question of the extension of the Parliamentary franchise to women, a bill for which purpose is now before Parliament.

—Fifteen thousand workmen have struck at Brunn, Austria, including all the bakers in the city. A detachment of military has been sent there. There has been no rioting as yet. They demand an increase of thirty per cent. in their wages.

—Henri Blut, seventy-six years old, and Virginia Dupont, seventy-five, were married Monday by Rev. E. A. Blake, of Brooklyn. Both were born in Paris. They met in Trenton ten years ago, and have been courting each other ever since.

—Rev. Dr. Thomas F. Davies, of Philadelphia, recently elected Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Michigan, has written to the committee accepting the charge, subject to the approval of the general convention which meets in October.

—It is believed in Paris that a ministerial crisis will result from the recent seizure of certain letters in M. Myer's house by M. Thevenet, the Minister of Justice. It is expected that MM. Thevenet and Rouvier, Minister of Finance will resign.

Congressman James Laird of the Second (Neb.) district arrived at Hastings on Monday from Atlantic City, N. J., after a two months' stay, much improved in health. He has failed in flesh, but appears more cheerful, and is apparently on the road to recovery.

—The Russian Minister to Servia, M. Persiani, upon instructions from the Czar, will be present at the coronation of young Alexander as King of Servia. The Czar has sent the young King an autograph letter and the decoration of the Grand Cross of St. Anne.

—Advices from Falcon, Ark., say that a three-year-old child of Abraham Mitchell, a planter, was shot and killed by a nine-year-old negro boy. Mitchell had the latter employed and had whipped him for some offense, and it is supposed he killed the child in revenge.

—Mark J. Worthly, a prominent shoe manufacturer of West Lynn, Mass., has accepted the offer of an English syndicate to purchase his large plant, including stock and fixtures, for $100,000 in cash, and $25,000 in stock in the company which will be formed to transact the business.

—Charles A. Harrison, aged thirty-eight years, lately a drummer for the Babcock Tobacco Company, committed suicide Monday night at his boarding-house in St. Louis, by taking poison. The cause which led him to end his existence was the loss of his position by reason of his drinking habits.

—Constitution Hill, London, is to be thrown open to the public, and the County Council are considering a proposition to remove the hundred or more private gates that block the entrance to so many London squares. The voice of the poor is making itself heard, and the democratic regime of London is well under way.

—The largest labor strike in the history of Duluth, Minn., commenced yesterday morning. It originated among the 700 laborers employed by the gas and water company and extended throughout the city, all laborers receiving less than $1.75 per day being compelled to stop work. Between 2,000 and 3,000 men are out. Men who were getting $1.50 demand $1.75.

—The labor troubles in the South Staffordshire (England) mines, which have for some time threatened to end in a strike involving over twenty thousand miners, have been amicably settled. The men have accepted a five per cent. advance in their wages, beginning with Monday, and the masters promise a further advance of five per cent. October 1.

"Just Hear That Child Scream"!

said Mrs. Smith to her sister, Mrs. Davis, as the sound of a child's shrieks came across the garden from a neighbor's house. "What kind of a woman have you for a neighbor? Does she abuse her children"? "No, indeed," replied Mrs. Davis. "She is one of the most tender mothers in existence. But you see, she believes in the old-fashioned styles of doctoring. When a child needs physic, she fills a spoon with some nauseous dose, lays the little victim flat on her lap, holds his nose till he is forced to open his mouth for breath, when down goes the dreadful mess. Then come the yells." "No wonder," said Mrs. Smith, "Why doesn't she use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets? They are effective without being harsh, and are as easy to take as sugar plums. I always give them to my children." "And so do I," said Mrs. Davis.

Tents! Tents! Tents!

I have a few tents, which I wish to sell or rent out at a very low price. The best tent for picnic parties, lemonade stands, etc., etc. A. BEER,
Upholsterer and Awning and Tent Manufacturer, 243 N. Main St. 29-d6

TOURISTS' excursion over the T. H. & P. road to Clear Lake and Spirit Lake, Iowa, and other points in the west and north every day. Apply to T. Ponilwell for full particulars and rates.

STAY at home on the Fourth and get all the surrounding country to come here. Two fine ball games, morning and afternoon, by first-class clubs from St. Louis and Chicago. Fine band concerts during both games. Great band concert in the city park in the evening, and grand display of fireworks on Lincoln Square.
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For Sale for Business Lots.

Ennis property, corner of Eldorado and Jackson streets, fronting on Eldorado street 150 feet, will be divided into seven business lots. Most desirable location in the city, midway between depot and centre of the city; only one square from Citizens' street railroad.
june17-d2w JESSE LEFORGEE & SON.

COME and see our buggies, surreys, phaetons, spring wagons and road carts the best made and cheapest in town.
THE SPENCER AND LEHMAN CO.,
South Main and Wood Sts.
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AWFUL CHEAP!

Dry Goods and Millinery

at the Lowest Prices ever named in this city.

SATINES, CHALLIES, EMBROIDERIES, WHITE GOODS, FLOUNCINGS, CHANTILLY and FISH NET LACES, Outing Flannels, PRINTS, Ginghams, all Fancy Suitings, &c.,

At Net Cost!

The Biggest Cut in the Prices of Millinery we have ever made. Assortment the best we ever had.

Untrimmed Hats—10, 20, 30 Per Cent. Off.

Trimmed Hats—25, 30, 40 Per Cent. Off.

☞"Come and get them, quick. First choice always best.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,

143 East Main Street.

June 25, 1889.

IT is now said that "Ben Butler's best eye is in poor condition." And pray, what has become of the other one—the one that is generally recognized as "bad" If the best one is out of condition no wonder Ben has been having fun with Admiral Porter, though his mental condition is probably owing to obliquity of vision. Ben was always troubled with an inclination to see things crooked.

UNTIL the blood is cleansed of impurities, it is useless to attempt the cure of any disease. Rheumatism, which is traceable to an acid in the blood, has been cured, in numerous cases, by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, external treatment being of no avail.

Extraordinary Value

Reynolds Bros.' ladies kid button shoes at $2.50. Burts' correct shape shoes in hand sewed $6.00 a pair. 300 pair men's canvas bals 45c. Men's solid sole and counter b'd's $1.00 worth $1.75. We are agents for the celebrated Dudley seamless Wigwams.
J7-d&wtf POWERS' SHOE STORE.

WOOD PUMPS, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehman's. feb 16-d&wtf

Chicago Grain Market

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, received by O. C. Caldwell, Secretary Decatur Grain Co.:

WHEAT 82⅛ July; 78¼ Aug; 78⅜ Sept; 78⅝ Oct.

CORN—35¼ July; 35⅝ Aug; 35⅞ Sept; 36¼ Oct.

OATS—22⅞ July; 22½ Aug; 22⅝ Sept; 22⅞ Oct.

PORK—$11.45 July; $11.55 Aug; $11.65 Sept.

LARD—$6.35 July; $6.45 Aug; $6.55 Sept.

RIBS—$5.87 July; $5.90 Aug; $5.95 Sept.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 20,000; market steady.
Cattle, 8,000; market firm.

IN old times it seemed to be thought that a medicine must be nauseating to be effective. Now, all this is changed. Ayer's Sarsaparilla, one of the most powerful alteratives, is agreeable to most palates, the flavor being by no means medicinal.

ROYAL

BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders. Sold *only in cans*. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall St. N. Y.

Dissolution Notice.

The copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of Busher & Hutchin, was this day dissolved by mutual consent, Walter I. Hutchin retiring. The boot and shoe business will be continued at the old stand by W. F. Busher, who will collect all accounts due the firm and pay all the debts of the same.
W. F. BUSHER,
WALTER I. HUTCHIN.
July 3, 1889 d6w1

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution on transcript from J. P.'s docket to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of R. L. Walston, and against Laura Allen, I have levied upon the following described property, to wit: The southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section twenty-three (23), also, commencing at the northwest corner of said tract, and running thence west to the road, thence southeasterly with said road to a point due west of the southwest corner of said first tract, thence east to said southwest corner, thence north to the beginning, being a part of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter section twenty-two (22); also, commencing at the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty-six (26), and running thence south to a point five chains north of the southeast corner of said forty acres, thence west ten chains, thence north six and 46 100 chains, thence west to the centre of the public road, thence northwest to the section line, thence north to the northwest corner of said forty acres, thence east to the place of beginning, all in township sixteen (16) north, range two (2) east of the 3rd P. M., Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said Laura Allen, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1889, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.
This 3d day of July, A. D. 1889.
J. H. MAUZY,
july3 d3w Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

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By virtue of one execution on transcript from J. P.'s docket to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of John W. Hartley, and against John Caffrey, I have levied upon the following described property, to wit: Lot fourteen (14) of the west half of the southwest quarter of section fourteen (14), township sixteen (16) north, range two (2) east of the 3rd P. M., Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said John Caffrey, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1889, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.
This 3rd day of July, A. D. 1889.
J. H. MAUZY,
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IN the grand fireworks display on Lincoln Square on the night of July 4 there will be 188 fine exhibition pieces, equal to, if not superior, to the recent display on the night after the band tournament. The actual cost at first hands for the fireworks to be used on that night will be $250. 25-tf

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An Invitation.

The Ruby Furnace for which W. F. Dennis & Bro. are agents is a first class furnace in every respect. We have been using them for some years, and are well pleased with them and would cheerfully recommend them to the public.
F. M. PRATT.
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While watches have, in times past, been considered a luxury, in these days they have become practically a necessity. To provide a good watch is sometimes inconvenient if the whole amount of its value is required at once. To make it possible for every man, woman and youth to supply themselves with a good watch, we propose offering them on what is known as the Club Plan. This plan has been in successful operation in many of the larger cities for several years, and has become very popular as absolute satisfaction is guaranteed.

ITS ADVANTAGES.

First. By paying one dollar per week, the easiest possible method is offered to secure a watch.

Second. The watches being purchased in large quantities from the makers and sold directly to the consumer, a large profit is saved to the members of the club. The principle upon which the goods are sold is an equitable one, as the members of the Club are practically a syndicate for the purchase of watches in large quantities at the lowest prices, and thus directly benefitting its members.

These Clubs are running under our management which is a sufficient guarantee that the business will be conducted honestly, and that no goods will be sold except those of the very highest quality.

We shall run two Clubs. The first of which will be for thirty-five weeks. Each member joining this club will pay one dollar per week for the full Club term, and each week one member will draw a watch. The gentlemen's watch in this Club is to be a 14 K., filled case, either hunting or open face, richly engraved, warranted to wear for twenty years, with a certificate from the Crescent Watch Case Co., as to its quality, and A FULL JEWELED NICKEL MOVEMENT OF EITHER ELGIN OR WALTHAM MAKE. The ladies' watches are of solid 14 K., gold, tasteful designs, with Elgin movements fully guaranteed.

We propose to offer in the second Club a higher grade watch for gentlemen, with a solid 14 K., elegantly decorated case, and a fine full jeweled nickel Waltham or Elgin movement. This Club will run for fifty two weeks, each member paying one dollar per week. Ladies' watches in this Club will be equal in value to those for gentlemen, and can be furnished with ornamental diamond cases. In this Club, as in the other, one watch will be drawn each week.

We wish it distinctly understood that this plan has no element of chance in it as every member is sure to get his watch during the Club term. If after partial payment has been made any member desires to pay the remaining amount in full, without waiting for his number to be drawn, he can have his watch at once.

In answer to any of our friends who may think well of this plan, but who has now a satisfactory watch, would say, that we will furnish diamonds, silverware, or any thing in our line upon the same plan.

READ CAREFULLY THE EXPLANATION OF THE WATCH CLUB PLAN.

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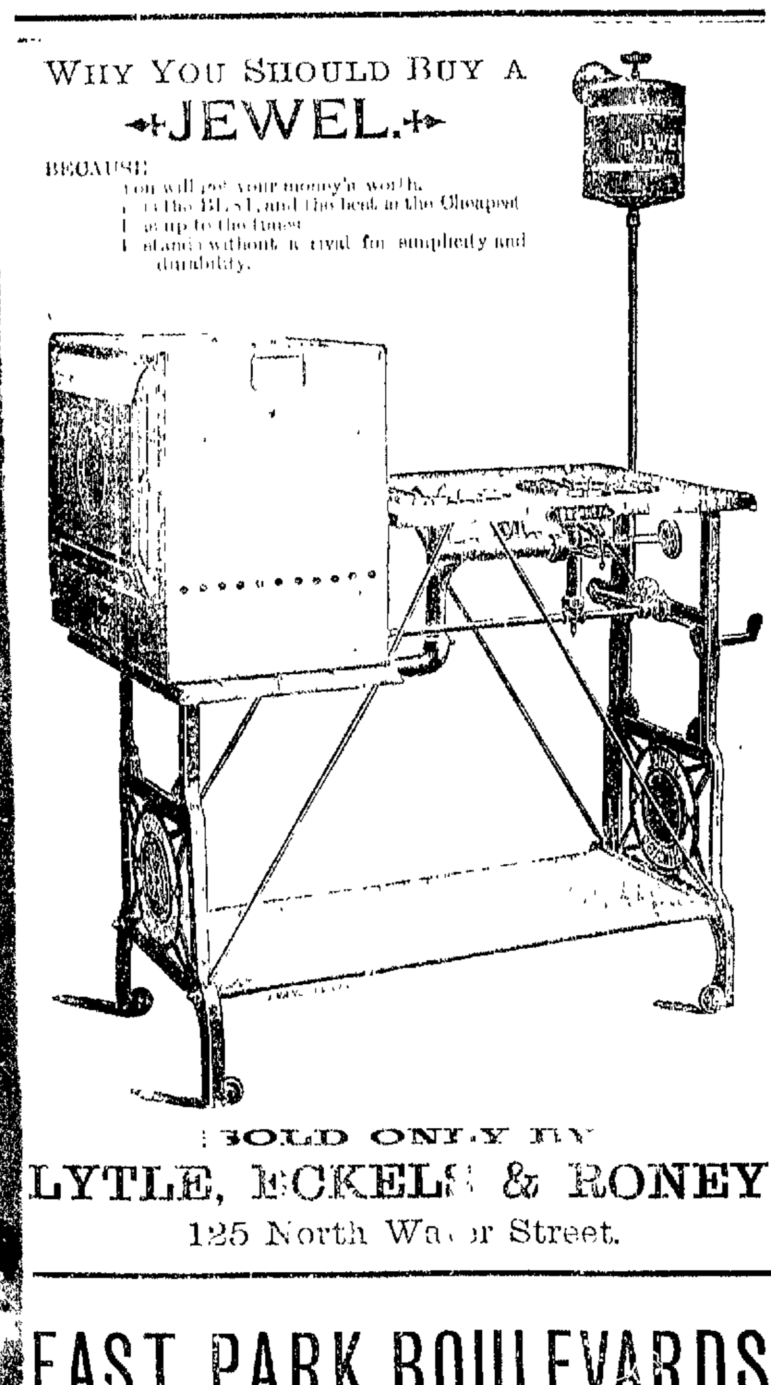

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WEDNESDAY EVE., JULY 2, 1889.

LOCAL NEWS.

You will find the largest assortment of *Baby Carriages* in the city, at E. D. Bartholomew & Co.'s.

No paper to-morrow—July 4th.

Pure milk shakes at Dello Harris'.

The Good Templars met last night.

Look out for accidents to-morrow. Don't be reckless.

The finest line of pure cream candies in the city at Dello Harris'. 2-d

See both ball games to-morrow afternoon at the park.

Walter I. Hutchin has retired from the boot and shoe firm of Busher & Hutchin. Mr. Busher will continue the business.

Buy the popular White Foam flour. It is made by Hatfield & Co.

Wanted—Two Good Agents- Good talkers. Apply at New Deming Hotel 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Robert Faries has been granted a patent for a display rack.

Monday next the county board committee, of which Supervisor Houck is chairman, will meet to equalize taxes and report to the board.

The Moore Bros. carry a full line of choice groceries and make a specialty of berries and country butter.

One of the attractions at Litchfield to-morrow will be a foot race between passenger conductor Vanway and freight conductor Kehler, both Wabash men.

Try "Little Dixie" cigar, 5c. Clear Havana filler --something new. Made by John Osmers. 1-d6

There were two recruits mustered at the regular meeting last night of Dunham Post, G. A. R., and Rev. Geo. W. Gue was endorsed for National chaplain. The attendance was large.

Butterick's patterns and *Delineator* at Linn & Scruggs'. july3-dawtf

Order White Loaf or Daily Bread flour. Either will suit you to a T.

This evening at 6 o'clock on East Main street, seven of Linn & Scruggs check boys will engage in a foot race, 200 yards, for a cash prize. Joe Yeagel, Mark Moran, John Scherer, Jerry McNamara, Willie Morgan, Orville Coughlin and Willie Custer will be the competitors.

The Citizens' Electric Street Railway will probably be running with its new electrical equipment on July 4. Stay at home and get everybody to come to Decatur to celebrate. 25-tf

Had John Freeman kept on running last night the Shoe and Leather nine would have been feeling good to-day. The latest is that John is planted at third base and will sprout after the next rain.

The best of country butter and fruits at Hanks & Patterson's grocery store on South Water street.

"Little Dixie" is the best Clear Havana 5c cigar made on earth. Try it—small, but equal to a 10c cigar for its size. Made by John Osmers. 1-d6

C. B. Prescott will suit you with musical instruments. Give him a call and take a look at those Hanes and Everott pianos.

Besides regular expenses, C. C. Stoddard lost his pocketbook and $20 by his trip to Ramsey to visit his sick brother. He thinks he left his pocket-book on a car seat and forgot to pick it up again.

Call at Henry Ebert's and get your fresh popcorn, fresh roasted peanuts, choice fruits and the finest candies in the city. All kinds of summer drinks. 2-d6

Wabash officials, Messrs. Stevens and Magee, came in on the St. Louis train to-day, shook hands with the railroad men around the depot and departed on the Chicago train.

Anything wanted for the table can be had at J. Lytle & Co.'s handy grocery store in opera block.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Caldwell, on Monday night, July 1st, at their home No. 650 East Wood street, triplets two boys and one girl. The babies are all well and progressing finely. The father is the cook at the St. Nicholas.

Buy a pound of nice creams at Dello Harris' for the Fourth; you'll miss it if you don't. 2 d

In Justice Foster's court yesterday afternoon Annie Rodgers was fined $3 and costs for street walking.

If you are in need of a delivery wagon, give Frank Zimmerman your orders. Telephones 319 and 18. Office 223 North Water. Trunks 15 cents. jun18-d1m

From 4 to 7 o'clock last evening the 5th birthday of Clare Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Watson, was joyously celebrated at the family home. Refreshments were served. Those present were Ethel Baldwin, Susie Tucker, Alice Ruddock, Clifton Hedges, Freddie Handy and Mary Osborne.

You ought to try the Parisian egg lemonade, 10c a glass, for sale at Dello Harris'. It's boss. 2-d

Ring up Niedermeyer for choice family groceries and berries.

Elected Clerk.

The United States District grand jury was organized at Springfield yesterday, with B. L. Ullen, of Mound City, as foreman, and G. Davis Williams, of Mt. Zion, and E. C. Batterton, of Athens, as clerks. J. W. Craig, of Assumption, and J. A. Gregory, of Lovington, are also members of the grand jury.

Election.

The semi-annual election of officers for the Endeavor Society of the U. B. church resulted as follows: President, Dora Rathbrauff; vice president, W. May Boggess; secretary, Thomas Bryson; treasurer, Mr. Robbins.

Total Rainfall.

F. T. Seeley reports that the amount of snow and rainfall from the first of January to July 1st, 1889, is as follows:

Month of January	1.86 in
Month of February	7.68 "
Month of March	1.87 "
Month of April	1.90 "
Month of May	6.11 "
Month of June	0.73 "
Total for six months	18.53 "

Funeral of Uncle Johnny Hanks.

Many old friends from Decatur and the neighborhood gathered at the Boiling Springs church yesterday afternoon to pay their last respects to the venerable Uncle Johnny Hanks who passed away Monday afternoon in the 88th year of his age. The church was crowded, and the altar and casket decked with floral offerings. Appropriate music was furnished by the church choir. Rev. T. W. Pinkerton, pastor of the Christian church, this city, conducted the funeral, and delivered a sermon fitting the solemn occasion. In the course of his remarks he referred to the long and honorable life of the deceased, and also alluded with no attempt at detail to the early association of Mr. Hanks with Abraham Lincoln. The remains were interred in the church cemetery, Messrs. W. R. Scruggs, W. R. Shull, Hezekiah Hays, Ulysses Huston, Charles Lewis, George Williams, James Tait and J. Y. Braden serving as pall-bearers.

Guilty.

At Springfield yesterday the jury found Irvin Neal guilty of murder and gave him 25 years in the penitentiary. Seven of the jurymen were at first in favor of the death penalty.

Only two innings were played by the Young Bros. & Maris and the Shoe and Leather clubs last evening, resulting in a score of 3 to 2 against the latter. Bad coaching by the S. & L. prevented a tie game. Downing got first on a dropped third strike, but he had to sprint for it. He went down to first like a streak o' lightning.

THE FOURTH IN DECATUR.

How the Day Will be Observed--Ball Games and Fireworks.

The banks and county offices will be closed.

Business generally will be suspended part of the day.

It will be in a measure a go-as-you-please in the way of individual enjoyment.

The German Methodists will picnic in Wykoff grove, on West Decatur street.

There will be an afternoon and evening picnic party at the Dr. Johns residence. From the elevated lawn the fireworks display in the city will be witnessed.

The second ward people will have a private demonstration of fireworks on North Main street.

President Faries will make a parade with the grotesquely costumed Calithumpians at 9 a. m., starting from the city yard. Look out for fun.

TWO BALL GAMES.

There will be two hotly contested games at the ball park—one in the forenoon and one in the afternoon—between the Chicago and St. Louis clubs, engaged for the day. First game at 10 a. m.; second game at 3 p. m. Reserved seats can be secured at Mueller & Son's store.

Goodman's Band and the clubs in carriages will make parades of the streets before each game.

FIREWORKS.

At night there will be a brilliant display of fireworks, in charge of the committee, from a platform to be erected in Lincoln Square.

Goodman's Band will also give a free concert in Central Park at night.

Two new electric cars and two motors for the Citizens' company arrived in Decatur this morning. They were taken to the car house. The new cars may be on the tracks to-morrow, but they will not be operated by electricity as the dynamos have not been received.

J. S. Hughes, 740 N. Water St., has just received a large stock of the celebrated Economy Warm Air Furnaces the best made. Anyone desiring to purchase a furnace will do well to call and see him. july3-d6

Will Orate at Bemont.

Rev. Dr. Vosburgh is the orator of the day at Bemont to-morrow. His subject is: "The advance of American civilization not outward but upward."

Last winter Dr. Vosburgh baptized about thirty boys into the membership of the Baptist church whose ages would average about fifteen years, and yesterday afternoon he gave them a picnic at Oakland park. The time was spent in boating and sports of various kinds, winding up with a fine supper. They all returned about eight o'clock. The boys had a fine time, enjoying every minute of the time to the fullest extent.

[*Communicated.*]

Eds. Republican: Many of my friends think that the appointment of Charles H. Fuller for another year in the pension service will in some way affect my application for the same class of service. There are but two things necessary in my case as also in his, and they are: First, proper qualifications; second, a place or a vacancy in the service. C. R. Spore.

Cut the Weeds.

Eds. Republican: --If the owners of vacant lots on Prairie Avenue will cut the high grass and weeds in front of their lots, which overlap the sidewalks, and city authorities will trim up the forest of weeds on corner of Monroe street, they will be remembered by the residents of that locality while enjoying the benefit of their handiwork. Resident.

New Marble Shop.

Messrs. G. E. Woolington & Co. have opened a new marble shop at the north-east corner of the city park, where they will make a specialty of headstones, monuments and other lines of cemetery work. The gentlemen who compose the firm are all practical marble men, having large experience in the business, and they can be depended upon to execute all orders entrusted to them with fidelity and dispatch. Go and see them and look over their work. 2-d6

Awnings.

Neatly fitting awnings at low prices made and put up on short notice at Mattress Factory in Library block. Window awnings for dwellings a specialty. j3-dtf Cox, Chamberlain & Co.

In future Rev. S. A. Bumstead will make his home with his son, Dr. S. J. Bumstead, this city. He has been residing in Fulton county.

The alarm of fire at 10:30 last night was occasioned by a little blaze over the A. O. Brewer bake oven. The department turned out in response to the alarm. Damage slight.

A PAIR OF SWINDLERS.

They Attempt to Euchre Andrew Dennis out of Solid Cash.

The sensational attempt to swindle Andrew Dennis, a well-to-do farmer residing on his farm of 189 acres south of the fair grounds, out of a large amount of money yesterday, failed of its purpose, and now the rascally swindlers are probably miles away planning to fool some more gullible citizen. The particulars of the attempt to "work" Mr. Dennis are, briefly, about as follows.

Last fall just before the election, a smooth-tongued stranger drove up to the Dennis place in a buggy and made inquiries about the Montgomery land. He seemed about decided to buy the place, but wanted to secure the judgment of Mr. Dennis on the land and price. He talked as if he meant business, and drove off only to return again in a few days after to continue the conversation about the land. Mr. Dennis saw no more of the man until yesterday forenoon about 10 o'clock, when the same party drove up again in the same buggy and driving the same horse, which Mr. Dennis recognized. Mr. D. was in a tree picking cherries when the stranger got out of the rig and came into the yard, but at first the farmer did not recognize his caller. He gave his name as Roby, and said he was a nephew of K. H. Roby, president of the Decatur National bank, at the same time reminding Mr. Dennis of the fact that he had called to see him last fall about purchasing the Montgomery land. Then Mr. Dennis remembered him. The spurious Roby then made further inquiries about land, said he liked that part of the township and believed money invested in that vicinity would give good returns in a few years. Mr. Denniss was impressed with the gentlemanliness of the stranger, and had no thought of crookedness. He told him that so far as he knew there was no land for sale in that neighborhood, and while they were talking together, a well-dressed straggler appeared on the scene and came into the yard. He appeared half-witted, and at once began talking about a lot of money he had on his person. Going down into his pocket he pulled out a big roll of bills with a $1,000 wrapper, and then he pulled out another big roll. Roby claimed that he had never seen the money king before, and of course Mr. Dennis did not know him. The silly stranger said he was the son of an old Tennesseean who had died recently; he knew his father had lots of money, and after the funeral he had dug in the ground back of the stable, where he found a lot of 4 per cent. bonds which the old chap had buried. These the son took to Chicago and turned in, receiving in exchange $20,000. He had hidden the bulk of the money in a belt around his waist under his shirt, and to prove his yarn got Mr. Dennis and Roby to feel of the rolls. "While I was in Chicago," said the money king, "I lost $1,000 of the money with a party of swindlers; they did it with cards, but while they got the money, I got the cards, and I can show you how they did it." Here the chap pulled out three pictured cards, the size of playing cards, and in an apparently awkward manner proceeded to do the three-card monte trick. To demonstrate how the trick was accomplished, he turned up the corner of "the lady" card, and afterward threw them something after the manner of a professional gambler. Mr. Dennis simply listened and looked on, but Roby was more curious, and to accommodate the silly fellow both turned the cards, each time turning over "the lady." At the first turn the money king insisted on giving Dennis and Roby each $1000, saying they had won the money fair and they should have it. But Mr. Dennis stoutly resisted the temptation set before him and told the strangers he didn't get his money that way. In some manner the strangers learned that Mr. Dennis had no money about him and that he kept all of his cash in the bank. Seeing that Mr. Dennis could not be worked even into taking the money tendered him as a gift, the strangers concluded to get away in decent shape, and when Roby suggested that the money king should go to the city and put his money in a bank, the subsequent conversation was all on that point. Mr. Dennis at that time had no suspicion of the attempt that had been made to swindle him. After much resistance and boasting that he could take care of himself, the fellow with the money reluctantly consented to come to the city with Roby in the buggy and bank his money. Both drove off together. Shortly afterward Mr. Dennis came to the city, and meeting Marshal Mason related the story to him. He had no thought of crookedness, and simply came to town because he was anxious to learn whether the silly chap had banked his money. It took the marshal some time to convince Mr. Dennis that his callers were a pair of sharpers who had been planning for nearly a year to catch him on the card game and swindle him out of as much money as he might have had at his home, or get him to give up a check properly endorsed.

Of course all efforts to capture the sharpers have proven fruitless. A pretty good description of both was obtained from Mr. Dennis, but on coming to the city they must have left on the first outgoing train, or so disguised themselves that they could not be recognized. Similar swindles have been worked with success within the past two years at Danville, Jacksonville and Bloomington, and in each case the victim was an old farmer of wealth.

Beware of strangers.

Sales of Real Estate.

William Whitaker to Albert Whitaker, lots 14 and 15, block 34, Railroad Addition to Macon, $1.00.

Martha C. Jamison et al to Charles Schneider, lot 13, in block 1, of Carver's addition, on Calhoun street—$625.

H. Hanks to F. M. Patterson, the undivided one-half in 8 feet on South Main street, beginning 2½ feet north of lot 1, in block 2, of James Carter's addition, --$100.

F. M. Patterson to H. Hanks, all of lots 1 and 2, except 7 feet off the south side thereof in block 2, of James Carter's addition; also commencing at the northwest corner of said lot 1, thence north to the south line of South addition to Decatur, thence east to the west line of South Main street, thence south along said street to the north of James Carter's addition and thence west to the place of beginning, except 43 feet in width off of the south side of said real estate—$1250.

About the Proclamation.

Marshal's Office, July 2, '89.

In pursuance of the proclamation of the Mayor in regard to the firing of shot-guns, pistols and other firearms within the city limits on the fourth of July, notice is hereby given that all persons found shooting any shot-gun or pistol or other firearms or throwing firecrackers or other explosives on the sidewalks will be promptly arrested and punished.

2-d3 W. W. Mason, City Marshal.

Bright Outlook.

Rev. H. W. Trueblood of the U. B. church reports that the chances of the U. B. college, located at Westfield, being removed to Decatur, are very favorable. He ought to know, as he is one of the trustees.

A Shocking Accident.

While playing with firecrackers and 5 cents worth of powder in a tin cup, Arley Morris, aged 11 years, son of Mrs. Maggie Morris, met with a distressing accident at the Morris home on North Main street. The boy was in the back yard alone, and had placed the powder on the ground. While blowing an exploded firecracker near the powder an explosion took place, and Arley was horribly burnt in the face down to the mouth. Nearly all of his hair was burnt off his head, his features were blackened and distorted and both eyes were closed. Mrs. Morris heard the explosion and cries of the boy and hurried to the side to find him frightfully burned. He was carried into the house and Dr. Harsha attended him. It is believed that the boy will be able to use one of his eyes though the sight of both may be destroyed. The boy was able to dispute last night as to how the accident happened. He is a plucky boy, and last night did not seem to realize the terrible misfortune that had befallen him.

In the County Court this forenoon, Drs. Emma Shimniski, aged 36, was adjudged insane. Cause unknown. The jurymen were Dr. H. D. Heil, D. L. Hughes, J. J. H. Young, Sr., George Nehinger, Josiah Abbott, J. K. Williams, W. H. Bailey, Wm. Bowers, Frank Moser, Harry Fisk, W. C. Foster and Juan Dunbar.

PERSONAL MENTION

Robert Faries and family are visiting friends in Bloomington.

Chairman Wash Smith, of Mt. Zion had business in Decatur to-day.

Levi Knisely and family will spend the Fourth in Cerro Gordo, visiting relatives.

D. A. Morris, Boody's hustling grain merchant, is in the city to-day.

Mayor Harris and son of Clinton, were in the city today.

Miss Clara Smith is entertaining Miss Hattie Broadwell, of Jacksonville.

Ol. Atchinson of Lovington, came in on the Effingham train to-day.

Miss Zoe Dunlap, of Cincinnati, arrived from St. Louis to-day. She is visiting Dr. Moore and family.

Attorney Brice Sterritt and family left for Livingstone County to-day to spend the fourth with relatives.

Miss Edith Rawley, of Waverly, is visiting her brother, Will Rawley, who resides on West Wood street.

Manager Haines will arrive home from New York in time to help Decatur celebrate the 4th.

States Attorney Mills, in response to a telegram, went to Dalton City to-day to look after a gambling case.

Master Guy, son of Frank Provost, of Toledo, Ohio, is visiting his grandfather Squire Provost.

Miss Lucy Roberts is home from Auburndale, Mass., where she has been attending Lasell Seminary.

Mrs. V. A. Bohon and Mrs. W. J. Bohon, of Danville, Ky., are in the city, guests of R. S. Bohon.

Ethel Ashmore, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Ashmore, of Mt. Zion, is visiting in the city.

Geo. D. Haworth and wife left for Chicago to-day. They expect to remain away a month or more.

John Spalding, of the Guards, left for Edwardsville to-day to visit friends on the Fourth.

Dr. Wm. Sturgis, of Macon, president of the pension examining board, was in the city to-day. He is greatly improved in health.

Rev. H. J. Vosburgh, of Lincoln, Ill., left for that place this morning, after spending a few days with his brother, Rev. Dr. Vosburgh.

Mrs. J. W. Tyler has gone to Denver, Colo., to visit her daughter, Mrs. S. D. Cooke. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Alice Tyler.

Quite a number of people took advantage of the reduced rates on the railroads to make visits out of the city and spend the fourth.

Supt. M. M. Martin, of the Wabash Car Department, returned from Saratoga, N. Y., accompanied by his daughters, Misses Mattie and Mabel.

Mr. Patterson, one of Sullivan's distinguished citizens stopped over in Decatur to-day. He is on his way to St. Louis where he expects to spend the fourth.

Will F. Kettlecamp, student at the Wesleyan University and a brother of Mrs. Henry Roist, who resides on the Haworth farm, west of the city, received shocking news this morning. It was notification of the fact that his classmate at the University, Fred. Sinsby, and his brother, had been drowned a few days ago near Des Moines, Iowa. Fred jumped into the river to rescue his brother and both perished. Fred was studying for the ministry.

Gone away: Ald. Graham and wife to Chicago; Miss Addie McCollister to Shawneetown; Walter Keeler and Harry Hamsher to Belleville; Misses Mae and Mollie Harwood to Chicago; Mrs. Sol Jennings to Bucker City, Ill.; John Scott to Brown county; Mrs. W. E. Hines to Spencer, Ind.; Mrs. Will J. McClelland and son to Omaha, Neb.

John Hogan, a line man for the Citizens' Electric Railway Company, fell from the top of a pole near the Union depot yesterday evening and was quite seriously injured. He is confined to room 16 at Combs' restaurant, suffering with a pain in his side. The cut on his head is not serious.

Officers Installed.

The following officers were installed at the regular meeting of Chevalier Bayard Lodge K. of P., last evening: H. C. Herd, C. C.; R. J. Simpson, V. C.; T. W. Pinkerton, prelate; J. W. Carter, K. of R. & S.; L. E. Foster, M. of F.; Chas. Kellam, M. of E.; J. F. Davis, M. of E.; J. F. Davis, M. of A.; C. T. Haight, I. G.; D. Aungst, O. G.

The Hercules White Shirts, best made, at Linn & Scruggs'. jy3-dawtf

Blue Mound has a volunteer fire department for home protection. The officers of the hose company are L. L. Wood, captain and 1st plugman; Wm. Raupp, lieutenant: A. S. Clements, secretary and 2d plugman; Henry Smith, 1st nozzleman; J. T. Peel, 2d nozzleman; James Montgomery, 1st pipeman; Chas. Gross, Jr., 2d pipeman; John Harvey, 3d pipeman; John Young, 4th pipeman; Wm. Raupp and Lester Abrams, cartmen.

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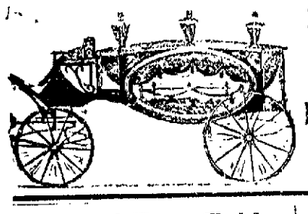

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Railroad Time Tables

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WABASH, ST. LOUIS & PACIFIC RAILWAY.

[NOTE—"From" denotes time of arrival, "To" denotes time of departure.

FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS.
No. 10 Pass.... 9:00 p m	No. 9 Pass.... 6:30 a m
No. 4 Pass.... 11:00 a m	No. 3 Pass.... 3:45 a m
No. 44 Pass.... 11:10 a m	No. 43 Pass.... 4:05 a m
No. 42 Pass.... 10:15 p m	No. 41 Pass.... 7:50 p m
No. 2 Pass.... 11:55 p m	No. 1 Pass.... 3:40 p m
No. 70 Freight 5:50 p m	No. 71 Freight 6:45 a m

FROM QUINCY.	TO QUINCY.
No. 42 Pass.... 10:40 p m	No. 43 Pass.... 4:20 a m
No. 44 Pass.... 10:50 a m	No. 45 Pass.... 3:10 p m
No. 6 Pass.... 6:45 a m	No. 1 Pass.... 9:05 p m
No. 48 Acc.... 7:00 p m	No. 47 Acc.... 6:45 a m
No. 70, Freight 10.45 a m	No. 71, Freight 6:45 p m

FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.	TO TOLEDO & DETROIT.
No. 43 Pass.... 8:50 a m	No. 46 Pass.... 7:45 p m
No. 45 Pass.... 2:30 p m	No. 44 Pass.... 1:50 p m
No. 41 Pass.... 9:00 p m	No. 42 Pass.... 10 [illegible] p m
No. 77 Pass	No. 47 Pass
from Remerton 11.00 a m	to Remerton [illegible] p m

FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO.
No. 3 Pass.... 3:35 a m	No. 2 Pass.... [illegible] a m
No. 5 Pass.... 2:45 p m	No. 4 Pass.... [illegible] p m
No. 1 Pass.... 8 60 p m	No. 6 Pass.... [illegible] a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 2 Pass.... 7:00 a m	No. 1 Pass.... 5:05 p m
No. 4 Pass.... 12:41 a m	No. 3 Pass.... 10:00 a m
No. 12 Pass.... 2:05 p m	No. 11 Freight 8:45 a m
No. 3, Champaign Line, arrives 10.15 a m	No. 4, Champaign Line, leaves 3.15 p m
No. 10, Freight 4:40 p m	

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN.

ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 1 Pass.... 2:43 p m	No. 2 Pass.... 11:12 a m
No. 3 Pass.... 4:00 a m	No. 4 Pass.... 10:40 a m
No. 7, Pass.... 10:30 a m	No. 8 Pass.... 1:00 p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 2 Pass.... 2:53 p m	No. 1 Pass.... 11:00 a m
No. 4 Pass.... 7.00 a m	No. 3 Pass.... 10.00 p m
No. 20 Freight 5:55 a m	No. 19 Freight 3.00 p m

TERRE HAUTE & PEORIA.

EAST.	WEST.
No. 2 Pass.... 2:21 p m	No. 1 Pass.... 12:40 p m
No. 4, Pass.... 7:10 a m	No. 3 Pass av. 7:20 p m
No. 8 Freight. 5:00 a m	No. 5 Freight 4.50 a m
No. 10 Fr'gt.... 12:45 a m	No. 9 Freight. 10:15 a m

Attachment Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY,

In the County Court to the July Term, A. D. 1889

E. G. Allen & Bro. vs. George E. Smith Attachment.

It appearing from the affidavit of E. G. Allen, one of the above named plaintiffs, filed with the clerk of said court in the above entitled cause, that the above named George E. Smith, defendant in said cause, among other things, is not a resident of the state of Illinois. Notice is therefore hereby given that a suit in attachment as above entitled has been commenced and is now pending in said court at the suit of the said E. G. Allen & Bro. against the estate of the said George E. Smith for the sum of $96.00 with interest, Smith for the sum of $96.00 with interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per [illegible] status, from the date of the promissory note, by [illegible] severe enough is evidenced, amounting to [illegible] a filing of said affidavit; [illegible] rather than diminishes E. Smith, de[illegible] and appear in [illegible] prime in the whole cause, [illegible] 1889, being [illegible] that calls for punishment [illegible] thereof, to [illegible] that of attempting to trong on [illegible] people. [illegible]

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution on transcript from J. P.'s docket to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Peter Utlech, and against James F. W. Boone, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot No. One (1) in Block No. Three (3), Packard's Addition to the city of Decatur, Macon county, and state of Illinois, taken as property of the said James F. W. Boone, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 13th day of July, A. D. 1889, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 22d day of June, A. D. 1889.

J. H. MAUZY,
Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

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PLUNKETT ON MARRYING.

THE OLD MAN TELLS WHAT HE THINKS ABOUT MARRIAGE.

A Budget of Good Advice Given in a Homely Way—The Little Things from Which Serious Troubles Grow—Seeing with Young and Old Eyes.

"Hard times or good times marrying goes on," said Plunkett, as he reached for Brown's tobacco.

"They married in war times and parted in an hour, and before the tears of the young bride were dry from the parting the wails of the widow took their place; but marrying went on, and the Confederate government would give er fellow er furlough to go home and marry when he couldn't get home no other way.

HIS OWN EXPERIENCE.

"Young folks will marry and there's no use in talking to 'em. They won't take nobody's word erbout this matter, they are never satisfied till they try it and then they haint satisfied after they try and they wouldn't erbin satisfied if they hadn't er tried, and so it goes, its natur to think you'd er done better to have done something that you didn't do and whatever you do you're sorry you done it.

"Every time me and my old 'oman has er quarrel she swears that she could er married 980 fellows that's er heap better than me and I'm keen to swour that there wasn't that many unmarried fellows in the whole of Pike in her raising, but you needn't talk to er woman when she gets mad with her old man, for it's natur for 'em to think they could er married any fellow they wanted and they're mighty apt to not mention any fellow in this connection but what has got to the legislature or done some other big thing—that is when they're mad.

"Folks that marry do well (sometimes), but folks that don't marry do er darned sight better—sometimes. But it's my honest notion that no man ever got wrestled by marrying. The winnin are the ones who suffer, if there's any suffering. Er man that don't do well by marrying wouldn't have done well no how, and any man can do well if he's got er good wife and will make the right start. There's more in the first year of married life than in any ten years arter that. The big thing is to think. Set down on er log erway out in the woods and study. Study your own character and your wife's character and your kin folks' character and her kin folk's character and end it up by swearing, right out there by yourself and the log, that you will go to er home of your own if it's er rail pen covered with wheat straw, and that you won't deceive your wife in nothing as you hope for her to not deceive you.

"The first few months of married life is mighty nice, very nice, and any fool in Georgia can have er good time then. But this marrying business ain't for er few months; it's for life. The pet words like my little petsy, sugar, apple dumpling, sorghum lasses and sich have to give way to sich as 'I'm not able to get you er fine pair er shoes, or dress, or hat; I've not got the money.' Er few weeks before I was married my sweetheart cut her eyes at me in admiration, and I know she thought I was the biggest fellow in Pike; but I come up to the house suddenly er few months arter I was married, and she was singing, and I stopped and listened and I caught these words:

"'But now he'll too small for er finally man.'

"That was enough of that song. I cleared up my throat and here she come and took on over me, but I couldn't understand what she was using sich words as the ones in the song for, and I was er little cold, jist er little, but she noticed it, and I have realized since that big streams from little fountains flow, etc. Never have the first quarrel. I don't see why everybody don't think of this.

AFTER THE HONEYMOON.

"Arter the honeymoon comes er season of a more substantial love. The love songs of the young days greet your ear as you approach the house.

"And then you've got to take the baby on your lap and pet it till the wife fixes the supper, and you're darned glad when it gets fixed, sometimes. Onels enough, you think—you both think—but never mind, the day will come when that plump young mother will have er lot of 'em swinging onto her skirts, and it's all right, it's natur, and you wouldn't be satisfied without 'em, and children never kept folks from doing well any more than marrying did.

"I've seed Brown's wife with seven erround her hollering and following her wherever she would go, with one laying on er pallet in the middle of the kitchen kicking up its heels and crowing till the hound pup would grab the piece of fat meat from its hands and set it to bellowing too, and I wouldn't er been in their place for all they had, I thought; but another stage has come, and now I look upon the same children, fine men and winsin, and as the old folks go down the hill, at every rough place stands one of these, who reach out their hands and jump them over, and I would give the world to be like 'em.

"We never know what is best, and we are more than apt to be dissatisfied with whatever is, but the start that young folks make in their early married life has er heap to do with their future. Men should keep on courting their wives and wives should pet their husbands. Little hugs and kisses between man and wife is like sweet things among children—they won't let on but they like it, and if er young couple will go off in or home of their own, never let the third party come into their affairs, spend one hundredth part of the exertion to please each other as in their courting days, they will be happy, money or no money, children or no children—but it's best to have er few."

—Sarge in Atlanta Constitution.

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"I WAS WRONG."

A Sad Episode Illustrating the Sorrow Such Words Often Prevent.

One morning in Wilkesbarre there was a great colliery explosion. Hundreds of Cornish miners were killed and their corpses lay at the mouth of the coal mine for recognition.

Sitting at the mouth, by a pale corpse, was a young wife. She looked at her husband, but uttered no cry; her eyes were dry. She rocked herself to and fro, her face white with anguish.

"Oh, that I had spoke fair to him at the end!" she moaned. "Oh, that he would come to life one minute, that I could say, 'Jimmy, forgive me,' but nothing will help me now. Oh, I could bear it all if I had only spoke fair to him at the end. Oh, Jimmy!"

And then, at last, the story came. They had been married a year—she and Jim—and they both "had tempers," but Jim was always the first to make up. And this very morning they had had trouble.

It began because breakfast wasn't ready, and the fire wouldn't burn; and they said hard words, both of them. But at the very last, though breakfast had not been fit to eat, Jim had turned round at the door and said:

"Gi'e me a kiss, lass. You know you love me, and we won't part in ill blood."

"No, Jimmy, I don't love you," I said, petulantly.

"Gi'e me one kiss, lass," pleaded Jimmy.

"No, not one! and now"—and then the tears rushed to her eyes.

With awful sobs she flung her arms around the corpse.

"Darling Jimmy! Darling Jimmy, speak to me now," she mourned. "Say you forgive me!"

"Do not grieve so hopelessly," I said; "perhaps Jimmy knows what you feel now."

But the mourner's ears were deaf to all comfort, and the wailing cry came again.

"Oh, if I had only spoke to him fair at the last!"

It is not an uncommon story this. We quarrel with those we love, and part and meet and make up again; and death is merciful and waits till we are at peace. Yet how possible is just such an experience to any one of us, who parts with some dear one in anger, or who lets the sun go down upon their wrath! But it is always the noblest nature, the most loyal heart, which is the first to cry:

"I was wrong; forgive me."—Unidentified.

A Thief Can Miss Villainy.

A Pinkerton detective who tracked an embezzler to the play says: "A melodrama was the attraction, and it was in the middle of the first act that I came in. I did not want to raise a disturbance, so I took a seat behind my man and prepared to wait until the end of the performance. The scenes in the play were strong, the villain being unusually diabolical and the hero and heroine noble and patient. Frequently the latter found occasion to express their abhorrence and condemnation of thieves and those who violate confidence reposed in them, and quite as frequently the villain scoffed at sentiments of virtue and honesty. I found my man hissing violently at the villain every time he got a chance, and nearly splitting his hands in frantic applause for the hero and heroine. Tears came in his eyes when the latter were suffering, and he could hardly restrain his fierce anger at the villain. Yet after the play he took his arrest coolly and confessed without a wink. When he was arraigned in the police court the next day he swore point blank that he had never stolen a cent, and called me a liar when I testified to his confession. I have met such cases frequently. When there is no self interest at stake many criminals are virtuous, but that is as far as their sentiment goes."—New York Sun.

Ancient Mexican Customs.

A writer upon ways and customs in Mexico states that the wealthier chiefs among that ancient people were accustomed to the protection of a cuirass made of thin plates of gold or silver, and over this was thrown a "sur coat" of richest feather work.

Their helmets were so marvels of curious workmanship, fashioned of wood in resemblance of the heads of wild animals, or of more lavish expenditure of silver, on the top of which waved a bunch of variegated plumes, sprinkled with precious stones and ornaments of gold. These famous warriors indulged, as well, in fancy collars, earrings and bracelets, and bore with them banners of gayest hue; in all of these singularly devised adornments, feathers of the richest and rarest held prominent place.—Exchange.

Foot Notes a Nuisance.

A writer in the London St. James Gazette objects strongly to the use of foot notes in books, and particularly criticises Mr. Bryce's recent work on this account. He says: "Except for the purpose of relieving the text of references, the foot note has no proper place in any book that deserves to be called a book. It is at best a kind of purgatorio, to which an author consigns such remarks as he thinks unworthy of admitting to full honors, and yet has not the courage to cast out altogether. But there is hardly a page of Mr. Bryce's book without foot notes, and hardly a foot note which might not well have been incorporated in the text. Often, indeed, the foot note contains the very 'plum' of the page."

Half a Crown of Glory.

In an English Sunday school the lady teacher was impressing upon her pupils the necessity of being entirely devoted to God. "It won't do, my dear boys," she said "to be half hearted in this service. There is a crown of glory laid up for every one who is good all the time; but do you suppose there is anything for a boy who is good only half the time?" There was an oratorical pause for a moment, and then a big shock headed boy drawled out: "It do seem to me, talssus, that theeun as is good 'arf the time, ought to get 'arf a crown, at least."—Letter.

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I am satisfied that Cancer is hereditary in my family. My father died of it, a sister of my mother died of it, and my own sister died of it. My feelings may be imagined, then, when the horrible disease appeared on my side. It was a malignant Cancer growing inwardly in such a way that it could not be cured. Numerous remedies were used for it, but the Cancer grew steadily worse, until it seemed that I was doomed to follow the others of the family. I took Swift's Specific, which, from the first dose, seemed to eat the poison, and continued its use until I had taken several bottles, when I found myself cured. I know that S. S. S. cured me.

Jno. H. Cole, Nov. 26, '88. Mrs. S. M. Dodson, R. C., Nov. 26, '88.

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PRITCHETT & WALMSLEY.
June 15 1889-d3m

A RARE BUSINESS CHANCE.—A small, fresh stock of dry goods, boots and shoes for sale, or trade for a small piece of land within 4 miles of Decatur, just the thing for a live business man. Address Box 150, Palmer, Ill. June11 d1w*

WANTED—MAN—To take the agency of our safes; size 28x18x18 inches; weight 500 lbs; retail price $35; other sizes in proportion. A rare chance to create a permanent business at home. These safes meet a demand never before supplied by other safe companies, as we are not governed by the Safe Pool. Alpine Safe Co., Cincinnati, O. GEO. M. WOOD, Agent. June7-d3m

WANTED—A gentleman or lady in every township as agent for our popular subscription book, "The Home Beyond," or Views of Heaven. Endorsed by Bishop Fallows; by leading clergymen and religious papers. Agents coining money. For circulars and terms address NATIONAL LIBRARY ASSOCIATION, 103 State St. Chicago. june10-d1m

FOR SALE A lot of Second-class Stoves and Furniture, as good as new, very cheap, at the FURNITURE AND STOVE EXCHANGE, 248 East Main Street. june10-dtf

$75.00 to $250.00 A MONTH can be made—working for us. Agents preferred who can furnish a horse and give their whole time to the business. Spare moments may be profitably employed. A few vacancies in towns and cities. B. F. JOHNSON & CO., 1009 Main St., Richmond, Va.

N. B. Please state age and business expected on. Never mind about sending stamp for reply. B. F. J. & Co. may2-d6m

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SHOO FLY.—This is my sixth year in the screen business. Nothing but first class work done. Call and have your work done before the rush. I am still in the carpenter and building trade. Shop over Caldwell livery stable, West Main street. W. W. SHOCKEY.
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I have a Vegetable Compound that kills the Cancer with little or no pain. No money required until Cancer is Removed.

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April 19-d&w3m

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R., W. & T. Manufacturing Co.

Are now prepared to furnish
WIND MILLS for Pumps and other farm purposes,
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B. I. STERRETT

ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office over the Post Office, Decatur, Illinois.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the September Term, A. D. 1889.

Arah M. Aikin vs. Charles W. Aikin—In Chancery.

Affidavit of the non-residence in this state of said Charles W. Aikin, the defendant in the above entitled cause, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the circuit court of said county, notice is hereby given to the said Charles W. Aikin, that the above named complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendant, returnable on the first day of the next September term of said court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur in said county, on the Fourth Monday in the month of September, A. D. 1889.

Now, unless you, the said Charles W. Aikin, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated Decatur, Illinois, June 24th, 1889.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
R. I. STERRETT, Solicitor for Complainant.
June24-d4w

Highway Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that proposals will be received by the Commissioners of Highways of Decatur Township, Macon county, Illinois, on the 6th day of July, 1889, for the grading and filling of earth work at the Grath Bridge, commencing at the south end of Franklin street, running thence to trestle work, north end of said bridge, situated in Macon county; that the same will be let by contract, by public letting, to the lowest responsible bidder, at the hour of two o'clock p. m., at the Town Clerk's office in the city of Decatur. Plans and specifications can be seen at E. G. Allen & Bro.'s office.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids if they deem it to the best interests of the town, and no contract shall be considered let unless the contractor shall, within ten days after the letting, enter into contract and file a bond, with two good and sufficient sureties, with the Commissioners in the penal sum of double the amount of the contract, payable to the Commissioners of the Town upon failure to comply with the conditions of his or their contract.

Dated Decatur, Ill., the 22d day of June, 1889.

D. A. MAYO,
E. M. CALDWELL,
E. G. ALLEN,
Commissioners.

jun24 dtd

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I want your patronage and am willing to divide the profit with you. I have in stock a full line of FIRST CLASS

Clothing ❋ and ❋ Furnishing ❋ Goods,

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I WANT MONEY--YOU NEED GOODS,

Therefore I have this proposal to make: I will deduct 10 per cent. from regular prices for the next 30 days, on presentation of the following agreement, viz:

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JOHN IRWIN, Manager.

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WATER! ❋ WATER!

For the next thirty days we will make special inducements to parties desiring to have City Water put into their Lawns or dwellings. We will save you at least 25 per cent. on former prices. We also carry a large line of Garden Hose, including the celebrated High Pressure Brand, which we sell under a positive guarantee, and our Prices are as Low as the Lowest.
ALL WORK WARRANTED.

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Plumbers, Steam and Gas Fitters, 259 North Main St.
May 18-dtf TELEPHONE 76.

J. B. BULLARD,

FUNERAL DIRECTOR,

Has removed from the Old Square to his new Quarters, in MASONIC TEMPLE BLOCK, 250 N. Water Street, where everything pertaining to the funeral business is furnished and attended to in the highest style of the art. Calls night or day, will receive prompt attention. In connection, a receiving vault.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, second class mail matter.

WEDNESDAY EVE., JULY 3, 1889.

THE song that is a great favorite with disappointed applicants for consulships "Thou art so near and yet so far."

GOV. FIFER yesterday appointed as members of the Commission on Claims, E. D. Blinn, of Lincoln; Robly D. Adams, of Fairfield, and Wilson S. Kay, of Watseka.

DEMOCRATIC newspapers are not so jubilant over the nomination of Foraker as they were at first, and the more they think it over the worse they like it. There is not near so much laughing on the back seats as there was a week ago.

THE official vote of Pennsylvania, on the prohibitory amendment has been published. The figures are: For the amendment, 296,617; against the amendment, 484,111; majority against, 188,027. It was a bad day for the "Wets."

THE Pennsylvania Democrats, we are told, will not attempt to defeat the Republican candidate for state treasurer this year, but will reserve all their strength for 1890. Profound fellows, those Pennsylvania Democrats.

BRICE, the new chairman of the Democratic National Committee, is still engaged in chasing rainbows. He now professes to see in the dim distance a Democratic victory in Kansas. In the language of the Kentuckian, "Great Chawl!"

THE secretary of the navy has directed that, on and after July 4th, the United States Flag, which has waved for thirteen years with thirty-eight stars, shall be replaced with the new flag with forty-two stars on the field of blue. The arrangement of stars on the new flag will consist of six rows of seven stars each.

JOE MACKIN was asked last night, just as he was leaving the prison, what his politics would be now. "Boys," said the fine worker, "I'm a Democrat. I always have been and always will be one." With a Democrat for mayor, and with the record of his former distinguished services for the party and his unparalleled sufferings in its behalf, Joe will be entitled to a first class place in the city government.

CHAUNCEY DEPEW sails for Europe today, with his family. He is a most dutiful husband, or probably it would be better to say "a well managed husband." He says he did not intend to go across this year, but during his temporary absence Mrs. Depew arranged it all, bought the tickets and made all the arrangements. And Chauncey went with her, like the obedient husband he is, so that there is joy in the Depew household.

Appointed.

Senator Dan Hogan was yesterday appointed collector of the Cairo district and immediately left Washington for the city at the forks, to begin the official duties for which he has waited so long and (im)patiently. The senator was a candidate for the same office eight years ago, and his commission had been made out, but through the interposition of Gen. Logan the matter was reconsidered and Gen. Pavey was appointed. Last year Hogan wanted to be nominated for Auditor but was beaten by Pavey again, but this time he had no opposition from Pavey, and has "got there." We congratulate the senator on his long delayed success.

The President's Fourth.

On yesterday President Harrison and his party left Washington for Woodstock, Conn., to assist Mr. Henry C. Bowen in celebrating the Fourth at that place. The Woodstock celebration is one of the institutions of Connecticut, and is under the sole supervision of Mr. Bowen, who furnishes everything needful, invites the guests, provides the speakers and ca's in the people of the town and country to assist and participate in observing the national birthday. On many occasions he has had for his guests some of the most distinguished men of the country, and the oratorical part of the programme, has frequently been furnished by the most noted speakers in all the land. There is no celebration in all the land like it, and Mr. Bowen's name is inseparably connected with it.

The Pardon of Mackin.

The pardon of Joe Mackin, the "fine worker," will not be universally indorsed by the people of the state. There are some people, doubtless, who will believe with the governor that the petitions of so many good citizens as joined in the appeal for clemency are entitled to some consideration at the hands of the executive but the largest part of the people are firmly convinced that crimes against the sanctity of the ballot should not be condoned, even by the remission of a small part of the sentence. Mackin was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary, and as he has been an exceptionally good prisoner his time was shortened by the good time law to three years and nine months, and would have expired on the 18th of August, so that Gov. Fifer gave him his freedom about six weeks earlier than would have been the case if no pardon had been granted. It is probable that the ends of justice have been fulfilled as well as they would be if Mackin had been permitted to serve out his full term, but there rests about a pardon a favor of justification, or an admission that the punishment did not fit the crime, which the people are not willing to endorse in this case. They are not willing to admit that the punishment decreed by the court in his case was a single STAT... when the grave crime of which he was convicted is considered. ... ere are too many violators of the election laws, there is too much ballot-box stuffing, there are too many votes cast illegally, to justify the governor in exercising the high prerogative of the pardoning power when one of the criminals is caught and convicted. It is the general belief that the penalty fixed by the statute for crimes of this kind is not severe enough, and ought to be increased rather than diminished. There is no crime in the whole catalogue of crimes that calls for punishment more loudly ... that of attempting to thwart the ... people.

... at $1, $1.25, $1.50 and ... Lapham's. Other ... on these 19-dtf

AN AWFUL ACCIDENT.

An Entire Passenger Train Goes Through a Washed-Out Culvert,

And the Shapeless Mass of Wreckage With Its Precious Human Freight

Burned to Cinders Before the Eyes of Spectators Powerless to Render Assistance.

An Awful Disaster.

LYNCHBURG, Va., July 2.—A half-mile east of Thaxton's, thirty miles west of this city, occurred at three o'clock this morning the most appalling railroad accident which Virginia has ever known. The east-bound passenger train on the Norfolk & Western railroad was passing over a culvert when the track gave way and the whole train went through to the bottom, twenty-five feet below. The accident was caused by a wash-out due to the heavy rains which have fallen within the last three days. All of the cars, five in number, with the engine, were piled up in a hopelessly-confused mass. The darkness which reigned over all for a moment was quickly dispelled as the wood-work of the cars was ignited by flames from the lamps.

It was only a few minutes after that the wreck was all ablaze, and to the horror of bruised and broken limbs and mangled bodies was added the certainty of a fearful death by fire. Many had gone to their death quickly, but the shrieks and groans of the wounded, pinned down by the heavy timbers and by rods of twisted iron as the flames slowly crept towards them and began their awful work, made the scene one of intense horror.

Those who were able to crawl from the wreck lent their aid by the light of the flaming timbers to their less fortunate companions. But little could be done for them. There were no tools at hand with which to cut the timbers that held them down, and they lay there helpless, and were roasted in full sight of those who had been fortunate enough to escape.

Thus far the charred remains of seven or eight human beings have been taken from the wreck. They are badly mutilated, and it is impossible in any way to identify them. Their names will not be known unless a list of the occupants of the cars can be obtained. It is believed that fully thirty people have been killed. It is difficult, however, to obtain any definite information because of the obstructions placed in the way of news-gathering by the railroad officials.

Further Particulars—Partial List of the Killed and Injured.

BALTIMORE, Md., July 3.—The Sun's special from Roanoke, Va., says: The east-bound passenger train on the Norfolk & Western railroad, which left here at 12:05 a. m. yesterday was wrecked at Thraxton's, twenty-two miles distant from this city. The baggage, express, smoker, passenger and two Pullman cars were burned, having taken fire from the explosion of a gasoline lamp in one of the coaches. The train went into a chasm created by a wash out while it was going at the rate of forty miles an hour. It is impossible to give an exact list of the killed and wounded on account of the meagerness of the information obtainable. There is only one wire in use between Roanoke and the scene of the accident, and it is not to impossible to get any thing over it but railroad business.

The killed as far as ascertained are:

Patrick Donovan, Lynchburg, Pa.

Charles Bruen, Roanoke, Va.

Fireman L. B. Summers, Abingdon, Va.

Mail Agent Nathan Cohen, Roanoke.

W. C. Stead, Cleveland, Tenn., on route to England.

J. W. Beal, Cleveland, Tenn., on route to Paris.

A. M. James, Roanoke, Va., traveling engineer of the road.

J. W. Lacey, Roanoke, Va., train dispatcher.

John Kirkpatrick, Lynchburg, Va.

Dennis Mallon, Roanoke, janitor of the general offices of the Norfolk & Western, en route to New York to be married.

A little niece of Mrs. Judge Thompson, of Staunton, Va.

It is believed that fifteen or twenty others perished, as there were nearly seventy persons on the train, and between fifteen and twenty are unaccounted for. The dead bodies were horribly cremated.

The injured are: Bishop Alpheus W. Wilson, of Baltimore; wrist cut and body slightly bruised. He is at the Hotel Roanoke here, and will be able to leave for Baltimore in a few days. The Bishop lost his gold watch, all his clothing, and $300. J. F. Temple, Pottsville, Pa., head and limbs burned; F. T. Dexter, Beverly, Mass., severely bruised on the head and body; J. B. Young, Radford, Va., arm mashed; Mrs. Judge Thompson, Staunton, Va., bruised and deranged with grief over the death of her niece; Roland Johnson, Roanoke, Va., conductor, frightfully cut on head and face; E. C. Du Barry, superintendent, bruised severely; W. C. Glass, Roanoke, baggage agent, arm broken; W. H. Hayward, Pullman conductor, shoulder hurt; J. D. Tanner, Lynchburg, badly bruised; Joseph Goldberg, New York, leg and shoulder bruised and hand hurt; Miss Inez Jackson, Tex., bruised; R. B. Goodfellow, Roanoke, hand and foot injured; J. C. Cassell, Roanoke, superintendent, arm hurt; M. D. Temple, Chicago, back injured; Mrs. R. B. Young, Marshall, Tex., body bruised.

On the body of Mr. W. C. Stead, of Cleveland, Tenn., was found the sum of $11,000. He was on his summer vacation and was going to England.

Caused by Criminal Carelessness.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 3.—Eli Mix, the coroner, who has been investigating the fatality which occurred on the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad a few miles north of here Saturday, handed his report to State's-Attorney Doolittle, yesterday afternoon. He finds that the accident was caused by the criminal carelessness of Thomas Shields, a section boss. Shields was in charge of a gang of men repairing the track where the accident occurred.

Sympathies with the Pope.

NEW YORK, July 3.—The Catholic News has received the following cablegram from its Roman correspondent:

ROME, July 2.

The Pope has received almost sixty thousand telegrams expressing sympathy for him anent the Bruno affair. He has ordered his private secretary, Monsignor Angeli, to collect them in a volume and present a copy to all the Bishops of the Catholic world as well as to all the Cabinets of Europe.

Carpets,

Wall Paper, Curtains. Now is the time to buy new styles. Immense stock and low prices at Abel's Carpet House. m7-1awtf

HALL'S SKIRT FORMS.

HALL'S Portable —AND— Adjustable DRESS & SKIRT Forms.

LI... & SCRUGGS, Agents. June ...

Novel... at Stine's.

THE BURKE CASE.

The Extradition Proceedings at Winnipeg, Man.

WINNIPEG, Man., July 3.—There was a large attendance of spectators in court yesterday to watch the proceedings in the Burke case. Assistant State's-Attorney Baker was present and made copious notes. The information was amended by the counsel for the prosecution by adding the aliases of Delany and Frank Williams to those of Martin Burke and Cooper. Burke looked as if confinement was wearing upon him. Counsel for the prosecution presented the depositions taken before the grand jury and a magistrate in Chicago, which were certified to by the United States Secretary of State and the Secretary of the British Legation. The prisoner's counsel objected to the indictment and statements before the grand jury being taken as evidence, but the judge intimated that they were sufficient. He did not know if it were even necessary for him to go beyond ascertaining the fact that Martin Burke was the man referred to in the Chicago indictment. The first deposition read was that of Hatfield, clerk in the furniture store.

The Burke Extradition Proceedings.

WINNIPEG, Man., July 3.—The most important evidence in the extradition proceedings yesterday against Martin Burke was that given by Martinson, the expressman, who gave particulars of his being engaged by Burke to haul furniture from No. 117 Clark street to the Carlson cottage. The witness said he noticed amongst the furniture a large empty trunk, and positively identified the prisoner as the man who hired and paid him. Additional witnesses will be examined to-day. Burke appeared agitated during the presentation of evidence.

Nothing New in the Cronin Case.

CHICAGO, July 3.—There were no new developments in the Cronin case yesterday, so far as the reporters were permitted to learn. Judge Longenecker said that nothing of importance had been turned up, but he had a long talk with Detective Palmer, and later with Luther Laflin Mills. The subject of the conversation in both cases was the Cronin business, but still Mr. Longenecker protested that nothing of consequence had happened. Should sufficient new evidence be found to warrant the calling of a special grand jury an effort will be made to have the same gentlemen who acted on the June jury serve on the July jury also. This will be done in order to avoid introducing the whole of the testimony anew.

Dr. McInerny Heard From.

NEW YORK, July 3.—Wm. Connolly, the superintendent of the labor bureau at Castle Garden, announced yesterday that he had received a message from his friend Dr. McInerny, whose disappearance has been connected by rumor with the Cronin tragedy. The message read: "I am well and was never in better health. My present mission, as you well know, has nothing whatever to do with politics or other public matters. I am away on purely personal matters.

A DESTRUCTIVE WATER-SPOUT.

Overflowing Streets and Bursting Sewers and Reservoirs.

ALTOONA, Pa., June 2.—A water-spout broke over this city about ten o'clock tonight doing great damage. The rain is now coming down in torrents, overflowing the streets and bursting the sewers. Reports from South Fork state that the great viaduct is in danger, and no trains from the West have come in since six o'clock. The Juniata is rising beyond its bounds at Tyrone, and if the storm continues middle division trains will be annulled until morning.

Kittanning Point reservoir, this city's water-supply, is expected to break. The water is pouring over its banks like a small Niagara. Should it go, the city will lose $100,000.

Mrs. H. L. Nicholson, wife of the Pennsylvania ticket agent, was struck by lightning, and is not expected to recover.

The Pennsylvania agent at Hollidaysburg, A. M. Hyle, wife and child, were found unconscious in their home from the effect of a stroke. The damage by the water-shout is widespread, and can not be estimated at this hour—midnight.

Johnstown Notes.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., July 3.—Judge Cummins, who has charge of the distribution of all the money collected for the benefit of the sufferers by the flood, arrived yesterday morning. He first held a conference with the local finance committee in regard to the manner in which the money now at his command, amounting to over three million dollars, should be distributed. After the conference, the judge stated that no serious difficulty was anticipated in making an equitable distribution.

"My ideas coincide with the local committee, except in one particular. I had arranged for the applicants to swear to the amount of his financial damage. The local committee is right in thinking that when a man is making his own statement he will make it as strong as possible. Precautions must be devised to guard against this. Each applicant will probably receive a certain percentage of the amount of his losses. Only the needy sufferers are to receive compensation, and some time must necessarily elapse to ascertain who are the really needy."

Captain Kuhn, of Johnstown, assumed full control of the commissary department yesterday morning, and will hereafter manage that department of relief.

Hereafter Johnstown citizens will be employed to do the work heretofore done by the military. The day for the final breaking of the military camp has not yet been determined.

The work of clearing Conemaugh continues. Men and teams are engaged in pulling out and piling the debris for burning.

Ten soldiers and forty workmen are on the sick list, but none of them are seriously ill.

Practical Charity with a View to Business.

CINCINNATI, July 3.—A special to the Evening Post from Brazil, Ind., says that President McKean of the Vandalia line has made a proposition to the operators to take their coal to Chicago at ten cents per ton less than present rates, if the operators will give ten cents per ton more to the miners for getting out the coal. This points a way out of the present difficulty. It has not yet been learned what action the operators have taken.

The Visible Supply of Wheat.

NEW YORK, July 3.—Special reports to Bradstreet's show a total of 8,000,000 bushels of wheat at Minneapolis, St. Paul, Milwaukee, Duluth and at over nine hundred interior elevators in Wisconsin, Minnesota and Dakota, as compared with 10,750,000 bushels one year ago, and 19,779,000 two years ago.

Mayor's Proclamation.

By virtue of the city ordinances, notice is hereby given that on the coming Fourth of July the firing of shot-guns, pistols and other fire arms within the city will be positively prohibited, and all persons found shooting any gun or pistol, or throwing firecrackers or other explosives on the sidewalks, will be promptly arrested. M. F. KANAN, jun29-d4 Mayor.

Fireworks! Fireworks!

It couldn't be 4th of July without fireworks, and J. E. Saxton has laid in a big stock at the right prices. Firecrackers all sizes from the baby cracker to regular Jumbos; bombs to wake up the town, rockets all sizes, Roman candles from 1 ball to 20 balls, pin wheels, triangles, red heads, red lights, Bengal lights, serpents, crack shots, torpedoes, pistols, caps, etc., etc. Flags and Japanese lanterns, all sizes, at J. E. Saxton's book store, next door to the postoffice. 28-d5t

Decorative Art Needle Work.

Mrs. Fay and Miller, late of New York City, are at the New Deming hotel with a full line of all the latest designs in art needle work. Ladies are cordially invited to call at their rooms and examine specimens. Articles for sale and lessons given on reasonable terms. 25-d6*

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Recent Examination for Assistant Surgeons in the Marine Corps.

Appointments—Placed on the Retired List—Sunset Cox All Right.

Bids Received—The New Commissioner of Indian Affairs—The Cherokee Indian Commission.

Many Were Called, but Few Were Chosen.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—At the recent examination for assistant surgeons in the Marine Hospital service, there were twenty-six candidates examined. Secretary Windom yesterday approved the report of the board, which states that four of the candidates were found qualified for appointments. The successful candidates are John F. Greenwell, of Louisiana; George B. Young, of New York; Wm. G. Stimpson, District of Columbia, and Benj. W. Brown, of Virginia. They will be recommended to the President for appointment as vacancies occur in the order of merit as shown in the examination.

Appointments.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—Augustus Ricks, of Ohio, has been appointed United States Judge for the Northern district of Ohio, in place of Judge Day, who declined the position on account of ill-health. Judge Day was appointed a month ago.

The Attorney-General has appointed James Jackson, of Alabama, Assistant District-Attorney for the Northern and Middle districts of Alabama, in place of Dobbs, resigned.

J. C. Chaney, of Indiana, has been appointed an Assistant Attorney in the Department of Justice, in the place of E. J. May, resigned.

Placed on the Retired List at His Own Request.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—At his own request Colonel John G. Parke, of the Engineer Corps, the present superintendent of the West Point Military Academy, was yesterday placed on the retired list of the army. Colonel Parke has served forty years as an army officer. He was four times brevetted for gallant and meritorious services during the late war, the last time as Major-General. In 1887, he was appointed superintendent of the Military Academy, and has discharged the duties of this office with ability and with manifest credit to himself. Colonel Parke is a native of Massachusetts.

Sunset Cox Is Not Ill.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—A private telegram received in this city yesterday from Representative Cox, of New York, dated St. Paul, Minn., contradicts the report that he is ill. He left for Huron, Dak., to participate in the Fourth of July ceremonies there.

Bids for an Improved Form of Registered Package Envelope.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—Bids were opened yesterday by Third Assistant Postmaster-General Hazen for an improved form of registered package envelope. There were forty-two bids, and they embraced a great variety of designs.

The New Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—Mr. Thomas J. Morgan, of Rhode Island, the new Commissioner of Indian Affairs, arrived in the city yesterday. Mr. Morgan will take charge of the Indian Office in a few days.

The Cherokee Indian Commission.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—The members of the Cherokee Indian Commission left for their homes yesterday. They will go to the Cherokee country about July 25th.

THE COMING FIGHT.

A Dull Day in Prize-Fighting Circles.

NEW ORLEANS, July 2.—This has been a dull day in prize-fighting circles. The coming of the principals is being quietly awaited. It is not believed that the proclamation of Governor Lowry will interrupt the progress of arrangements for the fight. Arrangements for formally receiving the pugilists have been discussed, but the friends of both parties have expressed a desire that no demonstration be made until after the fight. Several members of the Young Men's Gymnasium club, however, will go out to meet Sullivan. The battle-ground has been definitely settled upon and no interference is anticipated.

Sullivan in Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, July 3.—The Bee Line train, which arrived at the Grand Central passenger station at 1:51 p. m. yesterday, brought in John L. Sullivan and party. As the big fellow alighted from the car a reporter stepped up and said: "How are you John?" "As fine as silk and tough as a whalebone," said Sullivan in a muffled voice. "You mustn't talk to me, I'm all right." Sullivan had on an overcoat with the collar turned up. He wore a silk hat pulled down over his ears, and as he rushed through the building he never looked to the right or the left. One of his trainers had him by the right arm and on his left he carried a bundle of shawls and wraps. His beard was heavy and looked as if it had not been shaved for some days.

"How long will you remain in Cincinnati," was asked. "I don't know," said one of the party. "It depends on circumstances."

Kilrain's Chances.

BALTIMORE, Md., July 3.—A friend of Kilrain's says Mitchell told him Monday that he thought the battle would be a long one; that Sullivan would try his old-time rushes and terrorizing style in the first few rounds, but that Kilrain's gameness and ability would prevent the big fellow from doing him any harm, and that Jake would make Sullivan work so lively that he would become winded, and then would come Jake's turn. Mitchell said that in his fight with Sullivan he had studied every trick of the big fellow, and that Kilrain will enter the ring as well acquainted with his antagonist's style of fighting as though they had fought before.

Four Business Blocks Burned.

HAILEY, Idaho, July 2.—Four business blocks were burned here this morning. The loss is estimated at $500,000.

While an express was running between Mayence and Mannheim, Germany, one of the passenger coaches left the tracks, and several American ladies and children were badly injured by broken glass. After their wounds had been dressed they proceeded to Baden.

SPECTACLES!

Exclusive Professional Attention to

Adjustment of Spectacles,

Opthalmoscopic Examination of Eyes from 8 to 12 a. m. and 1 to 5 p.m.

DR. T. P. HUBBELL

Optical Institute, 239 N. Main St.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The female prisoners in the Chester (Ill.) penitentiary were all transferred to Joliet yesterday on a special train.

—A man supposed to be W. J. Coster, cashier of the City Club of Buffalo, committed suicide at Hamilton, Ont., Monday, by cutting his throat with a table knife.

—The Portuguese Government has agreed to Lord Salisbury's proposal to submit the questions involved in canceling the Delagoa Bay railway concession to arbitration.

—News comes from Belgrade that M. Pasitch, Radical leader, will, in the coming session of the Skuptchina, introduce a motion for the permanent expulsion from Servia of King Milan.

—Thomas Bean, a Chicago roofer, was stabbed to the heart and instantly killed by an unknown man at the northwest corner of Randolph and Green streets early yesterday morning.

—Joseph Mackin, of Chicago, who was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary, in the spring of 1885, for perjury in connection with election frauds in 1884, was pardoned yesterday by Governor Fifer.

—The President yesterday appointed Daniel Hogan collector of internal revenue for the Thirteenth Illinois district, and H. Dunn postmaster at Shelbyville, and A. E. Hart, post master at Columbus, Ind.

—Mr Eglinton Francis, late manager of the American Insurance Company of Philadelphia, dropped dead from heart disease Monday evening on the street on the way to his home on Mount Auburn, Cincinnati.

—There were no more signatures to the Amalgamated scale up to noon yesterday. It is probable that the structural iron firms will not sign until the trouble at the Homestead plant of Carnegie & Co. is settled.

—The London Fortnightly Review, which appeared Monday, gives a larger share of its space to the question of the extension of the Parliamentary franchise to women, a bill for which purpose is now before Parliament.

—Fifteen thousand workmen have struck at Brunn, Austria, including all the bakers in the city. A detachment of military has been sent there. There has been no rioting as yet. They demand an increase of thirty per cent. in their wages.

—Henri Blut, seventy-six years old, and Virginia Dupont, seventy-five, were married Monday by Rev. E. A. Blake, of Brooklyn. Both were born in Paris. They met in Trenton ten years ago, and have been courting each other ever since.

—Rev. Dr. Thomas F. Davies, of Philadelphia, recently elected Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Michigan, has written to the committee accepting the charge, subject to the approval of the general convention which meets in October.

—It is believed in Paris that a ministerial crisis will result from the recent seizure of certain letters in M. Myer's house by M. Thevenet, the Minister of Justice. It is expected that MM. Thevenet and Rouvier, Minister of Finance will resign.

Congressman James Laird of the Second (Neb.) district arrived at Hastings on Monday from Atlantic City, N. J., after a two months' stay, much improved in health. He has failed in flesh, but appears more cheerful, and is apparently on the road to recovery.

—The Russian Minister to Servia, M. Persiani, upon instructions from the Czar, will be present at the coronation of young Alexander as King of Servia. The Czar has sent the young King an autograph letter and the decoration of the Grand Cross of St. Anne.

—Advices from Falcon, Ark., say that a three-year-old child of Abraham Mitchell, a planter, was shot and killed by a nine-year-old negro boy. Mitchell had the latter employed and had whipped him for some offense, and it is supposed he killed the child in revenge.

—Mark J. Worthly, a prominent shoe manufacturer of West Lynn, Mass., has accepted the offer of an English syndicate to purchase his large plant, including stock and fixtures, for $100,000 in cash, and $25,000 in stock in the company which will be formed to transact the business.

—Charles A. Harrison, aged thirty-eight years, lately a drummer for the Babcock Tobacco Company, committed suicide Monday night at his boarding-house in St. Louis, by taking poison. The cause which led him to end his existence was the loss of his position by reason of his drinking habits.

—Constitution Hill, London, is to be thrown open to the public, and the County Council are considering a proposition to remove the hundred or more private gates that block the entrance to so many London squares. The voice of the poor is making itself heard, and the democratic regime of London is well under way.

—The largest labor strike in the history of Duluth, Minn., commenced yesterday morning. It originated among the 700 laborers employed by the gas and water company and extended throughout the city, all laborers receiving less than $1.75 per day being compelled to stop work. Between 2,000 and 3,000 men are out. Men who were getting $1.50 demand $1.75.

—The labor troubles in the South Staffordshire (England) mines, which have for some time threatened to end in a strike involving over twenty thousand miners, have been amicably settled. The men have accepted a five per cent. advance in their wages, beginning with Monday, and the masters promise a further advance of five per cent. October 1.

"Just Hear That Child Scream"! said Mrs. Smith to her sister, Mrs. Davis, as the sound of a child's shrieks came across the garden from a neighbor's house. "What kind of a woman have you for a neighbor? Does she abuse her children"? "No, indeed," replied Mrs. Davis. "She is one of the most tender mothers in existence. But you see, she believes in the old-fashioned styles of doctoring. When a child needs physic, she fills a spoon with some nauseous dose, lays the little victim flat on her lap, holds his nose till he is forced to open his mouth for breath, when down goes the dreadful mess. Then come the yells." "No wonder," said Mrs. Smith, "Why doesn't she use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets? They are effective without being harsh, and are as easy to take as sugar plums. I always give them to my children." "And so do I," said Mrs. Davis.

Tents! Tents! Tents!

I have a few tents, which I wish to sell or rent out at a very low price. The best tent for picnic parties, lemonade stands, etc., etc. A. BEER,

Upholsterer and Awning and Tent Manufacturer, 243 N. Main St. 29-d6

TOURISTS' excursion over the T. H. & P. road to Clear Lake and Spirit Lake, Iowa, and other points in the west and north every day. Apply to T. Peniwell for full particulars and rates.

STAY at home on the Fourth and get all the surrounding country to come here. Two fine ball games, morning and afternoon, by first-class clubs from St. Louis and Chicago. Fine band concerts during both games. Great band concert in the city park in the evening, and grand display of fireworks on Lincoln Square. 25-tf

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Ennis property, corner of Eldorado and Jackson streets, fronting on Eldorado street 150 feet, will be divided into seven business lots. Most desirable location in the city, midway between depot and centre of the city; only one square from Citizens' street railroad.

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143 East Main Street.

June 25, 1889.

IT is now said that "Ben Butler's best eye is in poor condition." And pray, what has become of the other one—the one that is generally recognized as "bad"? If the best one is out of condition no wonder Ben has been having fun with Admiral Porter, though his mental condition is probably owing to obliquity of vision. Ben was always troubled with an inclination to see things crooked.

UNTIL the blood is cleansed of impurities, it is useless to attempt the cure of any disease. Rheumatism, which is traceable to an acid in the blood, has been cured, in numerous cases, by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, external treatment being of no avail.

Extraordinary Value

Reynolds Bros.' ladies kid button shoes at $2.50. Burts' correct shape shoes in hand sewed $6.00 a pair. 300 pair men's canvas bals 45c. Men's solid sole and counter b-l's $1.00 worth $1.75. We are agents for the celebrated Dudley seamless Wigwams.

J7-d&wtf POWERS' SHOE STORE.

WOOD PUMPS, Chain Pumps, and Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehman's. feb 16-d&wtf

Chicago Grain Market

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, received by G. G. Caldwell, Secretary Decatur Grain Co.:

WHEAT—82⅛ July; 78¼ Aug; 78⅜ Sept; 78⅝ Oct.

CORN—35¼ July; 35⅝ Aug; 35⅞ Sept; 36¼ Oct.

OATS—22⅞ July; 22½ Aug; 22⅝ Sept; 22⅞ Oct.

PORK—$11.45 July; $11.55 Aug; $11.65 Sept.

LARD—$6.35 July; $6.45 Aug; $6.55 Sept.

RIBS—$5.87 July; $5.90 Aug; $5.95 Sept.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 20,000; market steady.

Cattle, 8,000; market firm.

IN old times it seemed to be thought that a medicine must be nauseating to be effective. Now, all this is changed. Ayer's Sarsaparilla, one of the most powerful alteratives, is agreeable to most palates, the flavor being by no means medicinal.

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Dissolution Notice.

The copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of Busher & Hutchin, was this day dissolved by mutual consent, Walter I. Hutchin retiring. The boot and shoe business will be continued at the old stand by W. F. Busher, who will collect all accounts due the firm and pay all the debts of the same. W. F. BUSHER, WALTER I. HUTCHIN.

July 3, 1889 d6w1

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution on transcript from J. P.'s docket to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of R. L. Walston, and against Laura Allen, I have levied upon the following described property, to wit: The southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section twenty-three (23), also, commencing at the northwest corner of said tract, and running thence west to the road, thence southeasterly with said road to a point due west of the southwest corner of said first tract, thence east to said southwest corner, thence north to the beginning, being a part of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter section twenty-two (22); also, commencing at the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty-six (26), and running thence south to a point five chains north of the southeast corner of said forty acres, thence west ten chains, thence north six and 46-100 chains, thence west to the centre of the public road, thence northwest to the section line, thence north to the northwest corner of said forty acres, thence east to the place of beginning, all in township sixteen (16) north, range two (2) east of the 3rd P. M., Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said Laura Allen, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1889, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 3d day of July, A. D. 1889.

J. H. MAUZY,

July3 d3w Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution on transcript from J. P.'s docket to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Henry Bauer, and against John Caffrey, I have levied upon the following described property, to wit: Lot fourteen (14) of the west half of the southwest quarter of section fourteen (14), township sixteen (16) north, range two (2) east of the 3rd P. M., Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said John Caffrey, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1889, at the hour of two o'clock P. M. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 3rd day of July, A. D. 1889.

J. H. MAUZY,

July 3 d3w Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution on transcript from J. P.'s docket to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of B. McGorray, and against John Caffrey, I have levied upon the following described property, to wit: Lot fourteen (14) of the west half of the southwest quarter of section fourteen (14), township sixteen (16) north, range two (2) east of the 3rd P. M., Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said John Caffrey, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1889, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution on transcript from J. P.'s docket to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Anna Bruggeman, entitled Sister Superior of St. Mary's Hospital of Decatur, Illinois, and against John Caffrey, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot Fourteen (14) of the west half of the southwest quarter of Section Fourteen (14), Township Sixteen (16) North, Range Two (2) East of the 3rd P. M., Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said John Caffrey, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur in Macon county in said state on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1889, at the hour of two (2) o'clock P. M. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 3rd day of July, A. D. 1889.

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IN the grand fireworks display on Lincoln Square on the night of July 4 there will be 188 fine exhibition pieces, equal to, if not superior, to the recent display on the night after the band tournament. The actual cost at first hands for the fireworks to be used on that night will be $250. 25-tf

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These Clubs are during under our management which is a sufficient guarantee that the business will be conducted honestly, and that no goods will be sold except those of the very highest quality.

We shall run two Clubs. The first of which will be for thirty-five weeks. Each member joining this Club will pay one dollar per week for the full Club term, and each week one member will draw a watch. The gentlemen's watch in this Club is to be a 14 K. filled case, either hunting or open face, richly engraved, warranted to wear for twenty years, with a certificate from the Crescent Watch Case Co., as to its quality, and A FULL JEWELED NICKEL MOVEMENT OF EITHER ELGIN OR WALTHAM MAKE. The ladies' watches are of solid 14 K. gold, tasteful designs, with Elgin movements fully guaranteed.

We propose to offer in the second Club a higher grade watch for gentlemen, with a solid 14 K. elegantly decorated case, and a fine full jeweled nickel Waltham or Elgin movement. This Club will run for fifty two weeks, each member paying one dollar per week. Ladies' watches in this Club will be equal in value to those for gentlemen, and can be furnished with ornamental diamond cases. In this Club, as in the other, one watch will be drawn each week.

We wish it distinctly understood that this plan has no element of chance in it as every member is sure to get his watch during the Club term. If after partial payment has been made any member desires to pay the remaining amount in full, without waiting for his number to be drawn, he can have his watch at once.

In answer to any of our friends who may think well of this plan, but who has now a satisfactory watch, would say, that we will furnish diamonds, silverware, or anything in our line upon the same plan.

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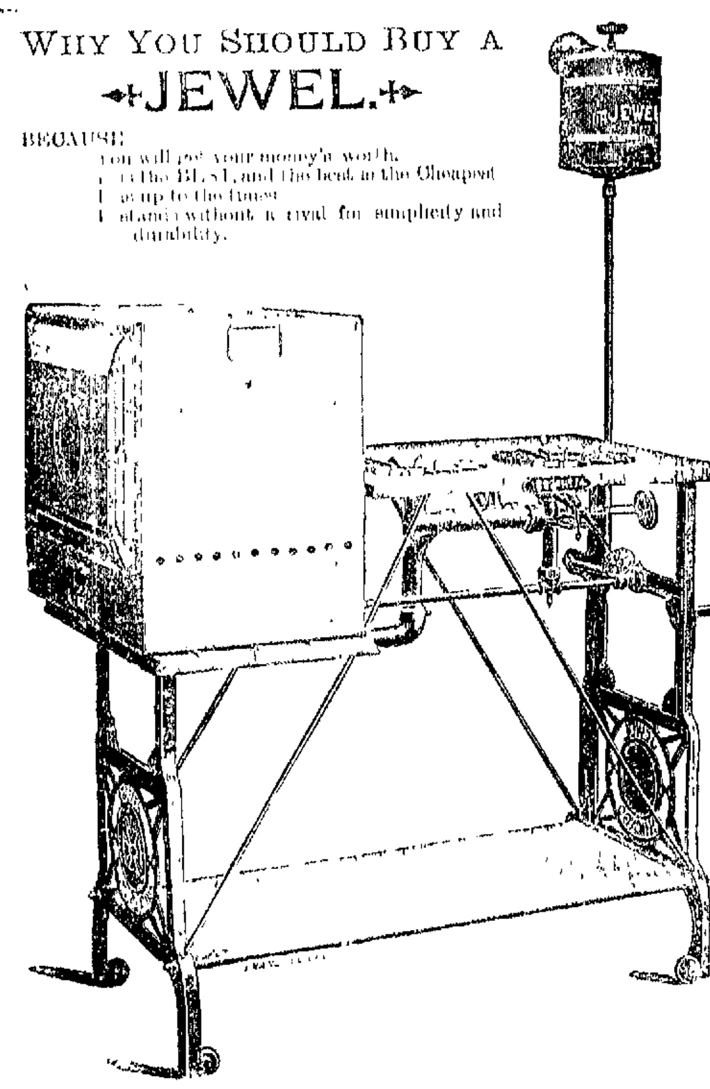

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WEDNESDAY EVE., JULY 2, 1889.

LOCAL NEWS.

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No PAPER to-morrow—July 4th.

PURE milk shakes at Dello Harris'.

THE Good Templars met last night.

LOOK out for accidents to-morrow. Don't be reckless.

THE finest line of pure cream candies in the city at Dello Harris'. 2-d

SEE both ball games to-morrow afternoon at the park.

WALTER L. HUTCHIN has retired from the boot and shoe firm of Busher & Hutchin. Mr. Busher will continue the business.

BUY the popular White Foam flour. It is made by Hatfield & Co.

WANTED—Two GOOD AGENTS—Good talkers. Apply at New Deming Hotel 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.

ROBERT FARIES has been granted a patent for a display rack.

MONDAY next the county board committee, of which Supervisor Houck is chairman, will meet to equalize taxes and report to the board.

THE Moore Bros. carry a full line of choice groceries and make a specialty of berries and country butter.

ONE of the attractions at Litchfield to-morrow will be a foot race between passenger conductor Vanway and freight conductor Kehler, both Wabash men.

TRY "Little Dixie" cigar, 5c. Clear Havana filler—something new. Made by John Osmers. 1-d6

THERE were two recruits mustered at the regular meeting last night of Dunham Post, G. A. R., and Rev. Geo. W. Gue was endorsed for National chaplain. The attendance was large.

BUTTERICK'S patterns and *Delineator* at LINN & SCRUGGS'. july3-dawtf

ORDER White Loaf or Daily Bread flour. Either will suit you to a T.

THIS evening at 6 o'clock on East Main street, seven of Linn & Scruggs check boys will engage in a foot race, 200 yards, for a cash prize. Joe Yeagel, Mark Moran, John Scherer, Jerry McNamara, Willie Morgan, Orville Coughlin and Willie Custer will be the competitors.

THE Citizens' Electric Street Railway will probably be running with its new electrical equipment on July 4. Stay at home and get everybody to come to Decatur to celebrate. 25-tf

HAD John Freeman kept on running last night the Shoe and Leather nine would have been feeling good to-day. The latest is that John is planted at third base and will sprout after the next rain.

THE best of country butter and fruits at Hanks & Patterson's grocery store on South Water street.

"LITTLE DIXIE" is the best Clear Havana 5c cigar made on earth. Try it—small, but equal to a 10c cigar for its size. Made by John Osmers. 1-d6

C. B. PRESCOTT will suit you with musical instruments. Give him a call and take a look at those Haines and Everett pianos.

BESIDES regular expenses, C. C. Stoddard lost his pocketbook and $20 by his trip to Ramsey to visit his sick brother. He thinks he left his pocket-book on a car seat and forgot to pick it up again.

CALL at Henry Ebert's and get your fresh popcorn, fresh roasted peanuts, choice fruits and the finest candies in the city. All kinds of summer drinks. 2-d6

WABASH officials, Messrs. Stevens and Magee, came in on the St. Louis train to-day, shook hands with the railroad men around the depot and departed on the Chicago train.

ANYTHING wanted for the table can be had at J. Lytle & Co.'s handy grocery store in opera block.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Caldwell, on Monday night, July 1st, at their home No. 650 East Wood street, triplets two boys and one girl. The babies are all well and progressing finely. The father is the cook at the St. Nicholas.

BUY a pound of nice creams at Dello Harris' for the Fourth; you'll miss it if you don't. 2-d

IN Justice Foster's court yesterday afternoon Annie Rodgers was fined $3 and costs for street walking.

IF you are in need of a delivery wagon, give Frank Zimmerman your orders. Telephones 319 and 18. Office 223 North Water. Trunks 15 cents. jun18-d1m

FROM 4 to 7 o'clock last evening the 5th birthday of Clare Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Watson, was joyously celebrated at the family home. Refreshments were served. Those present were Ethel Baldwin, Susie Tucker, Alice Ruddock, Clifton Hedges, Freddie Handy and Mary Osborne.

You ought to try the Parisian egg lemonade, 10c a glass, for sale at Dello Harris'. It's boss. 2-d

RING up Niedermeyer for choice family groceries and berries.

Elected Clerk.

The United States District grand jury was organized at Springfield yesterday, with B. L. Ullen, of Mound City, as foreman, and G. Davis Williams, of Mt. Zion, and E. C. Batterton, of Athens, as clerks. J. W. Craig, of Assumption, and J. A. Gregory, of Lovington, are also members of the grand jury.

Election.

The semi-annual election of officers for the Endeavor Society of the U. B. church resulted as follows: President, Dora Rathbauff; vice president, W. May Boggess; secretary, Thomas Bryson; treasurer, Mr. Robbins.

Total Rainfall.

F. T. Seeley reports that the amount of snow and rainfall from the first of January to July 1st, 1889, is as follows:

Month of January	1.85 in
Month of February	1.58 "
Month of March	1.87 "
Month of April	1.90 "
Month of May	6.11 "
Month of June	6.73 "
Total for six months	18.53 "

Funeral of Uncle Johnny Hanks.

Many old friends from Decatur and the neighborhood gathered at the Boiling Springs church yesterday afternoon to pay their last respects to the venerable Uncle Johnny Hanks who passed away Monday afternoon in the 88th year of his age. The church was crowded, and the altar and casket decked with floral offerings. Appropriate music was furnished by the church choir. Rev. T. W. Pinkerton, pastor of the Christian church, this city, conducted the funeral, and delivered a sermon fitting the solemn occasion. In the course of his remarks he referred to the long and honorable life of the deceased, and also alluded with no attempt at detail to the early association of Mr. Hanks with Abraham Lincoln. The remains were interred in the church cemetery, Messrs. W. R. Scruggs, W. R. Shull, Hezekiah Hays, Ulysses Huston, Charles Lewis, George Williams, James Tait and J. Y. Braden serving as pall-bearers.

Guilty.

At Springfield yesterday the jury found Irvin Neal guilty of murder and gave him 25 years in the penitentiary. Seven of the jurymen were at first in favor of the death penalty.

ONLY two innings were played by the Young Bros. & Maris and the Shoe and Leather clubs last evening, resulting in a score of 3 to 2 against the latter. Bad coaching by the S. & L. prevented a tie game. Downing got first on a dropped third strike, but he had to sprint for it. He went down to first like a streak o' lightning.

THE FOURTH IN DECATUR.

How the Day Will be Observed—Ball Games and Fireworks.

The banks and county offices will be closed.

Business generally will be suspended part of the day.

It will be in a measure a go-as-you-please in the way of individual enjoyment.

The German Methodists will picnic in Wykoff grove, on West Decatur street.

There will be an afternoon and evening picnic party at the Dr. Johns residence. From the elevated lawn the fireworks display in the city will be witnessed.

The second ward people will have a private demonstration of fireworks on North Main street.

President Faries will make a parade with the grotesquely costumed Calithumpians at 9 a. m., starting from the city yard. Look out for fun.

TWO BALL GAMES.

There will be two hotly contested games at the ball park—one in the forenoon and one in the afternoon—between the Chicago and St. Louis clubs, engaged for the day. First game at 10 a. m.; second game at 3 p. m. Reserved seats can be secured at Mueller & Son's store.

Goodman's Band and the clubs in carriages will make parades of the streets before each game.

FIREWORKS.

At night there will be a brilliant display of fireworks, in charge of the committee, from a platform to be erected in Lincoln Square.

Goodman's Band will also give a free concert in Central Park at night.

Two new electric cars and two motors for the Citizens' company arrived in Decatur this morning. They were taken to the car house. The new cars may be on the tracks to-morrow, but they will not be operated by electricity as the dynamos have not been received.

J. S. HUGHES, 740 N. Water St., has just received a large stock of the celebrated Economy Warm Air Furnaces—the best made. Anyone desiring to purchase a furnace will do well to call and see him. july3-d6

Will Orate at Bement.

Rev. Dr. Vosburgh is the orator of the day at Bement to-morrow. His subject is: "The advance of American civilization not outward but upward."

LAST winter Dr. Vosburgh baptized about thirty boys into the membership of the Baptist church whose ages would average about fifteen years, and yesterday afternoon he gave them a picnic at Oakland park. The time was spent in boating and sports of various kinds, winding up with a fine supper. They all returned about eight o'clock. The boys had a fine time, enjoying every minute of the time to the fullest extent.

[*Communicated.*]

EDS. REPUBLICAN: Many of my friends think that the appointment of Charles H. Fuller for another year in the pension service will in some way affect my application for the same class of service. There are but two things necessary in my case as also in his, and they are: First, proper qualifications; second, a place or a vacancy in the service. C. R. STORR.

Cut the Weeds.

EDS. REPUBLICAN:—If the owners of vacant lots on Prairie Avenue will cut the high grass and weeds in front of their lots, which overlap the sidewalks, and city authorities will trim up the forest of weeds on corner of Monroe street, they will be remembered by the residents of that locality while enjoying the benefit of their handiwork. RESIDENT.

Now Marble Shop.

Messrs. G. E. Woolington & Co. have opened a new marble shop at the northeast corner of the city park, where they will make a specialty of headstones, monuments and other lines of cemetery work. The gentlemen who compose the firm are all practical marble men, having large experience in the business, and they can be depended upon to execute all orders entrusted to them with fidelity and dispatch. Go and see them and look over their work. 2-d6

Awnings.

Neatly fitting awnings at low prices made and put up on short notice at Mattress Factory in Library block. Window awnings for dwellings a specialty.
j3-dtf COX, CHAMBERLAIN & CO.

IN future Rev. S. A. Bumstead will make his home with his son, Dr. S. J. Bumstead, this city. He has been residing in Fulton county.

THE alarm of fire at 10:30 last night was occasioned by a little blaze over the A. O. Brewer bake oven. The department turned out in response to the alarm. Damage slight.

A PAIR OF SWINDLERS.

They Attempt to Euchre Andrew Dennis out of Solid Cash.

The sensational attempt to swindle Andrew Dennis, a well-to-do farmer residing on his farm of 183 acres south of the fair grounds, out of a large amount of money yesterday, failed of its purpose, and now the rascally swindlers are probably miles away planning to fool some more gullible citizen. The particulars of the attempt to "work" Mr. Dennis are, briefly, about as follows.

Last fall just before the election, a smooth-tongued stranger drove up to the Dennis place in a buggy and made inquiries about the Montgomery land. He seemed about decided to buy the place, but wanted to secure the judgment of Mr. Dennis on the land and price. He talked as if he meant business, and drove off only to return again in a few days after to continue the conversation about the land. Mr. Dennis saw no more of the man until yesterday forenoon about 10 o'clock, when the same party drove up again in the same buggy and driving the same horse, which Mr. Dennis recognized. Mr. D. was in a tree picking cherries when the stranger got out of the rig and came into the yard, but at first the farmer did not recognize his caller. He gave his name as Roby, and said he was a nephew of K. H. Roby, president of the Decatur National bank, at the same time reminding Mr. Dennis of the fact that he had called to see him last fall about purchasing the Montgomery land. Then Mr. Dennis remembered him. The spurious Roby then made further inquiries about land, said he liked that part of the township and believed money invested in that vicinity would give good returns in a few years. Mr. Denniss was impressed with the gentlemanliness of the stranger, and had no thought of crookedness. He told him that so far as he knew there was no land for sale in that neighborhood, and while they were talking together, a well-dressed straggler appeared on the scene and came into the yard. He appeared half-witted, and at once began talking about a lot of money he had on his person. Going down into his pocket he pulled out a big roll of bills with a $1,000 wrapper, and then he pulled out another big roll. Roby claimed that he had never seen the money king before, and of course Mr. Dennis did not know him. The silly stranger said he was the son of an old Tennesseean who had died recently; he knew his father had lots of money, and after the funeral he had dug in the ground back of the stable, where he found a lot of 4 per cent. bonds which the old chap had buried. These the son took to Chicago and turned in, receiving in exchange $20,000. He had hidden the bulk of the money in a belt around his waist under his shirt, and to prove his yarn got Mr. Dennis and Roby to feel of the rolls. "While I was in Chicago," said the money king, "I lost $1,000 of the money with a party of swindlers; they did it with cards, but while they got the money, I got the cards, and I can show you how they did it." Here the chap pulled out three pictured cards, the size of playing cards, and in an apparently awkward manner proceeded to do the three-card monte trick. To demonstrate how the trick was accomplished, he turned up the corner of "the lady" card, and afterward threw them something after the manner of a professional gambler. Mr. Dennis simply listened and looked on, but Roby was more curious, and to accommodate the silly fellow both turned the cards, each time turning over "the lady." At the first turn the money king insisted on giving Dennis and Roby each $1000, saying they had won the money fair and they should have it. But Mr. Dennis stoutly resisted the temptation set before him and told the strangers he didn't get his money that way. In some manner the strangers learned that Mr. Dennis had no money about him and that he kept all of his cash in the bank. Seeing that Mr. Dennis could not be worked even into taking the money tendered him as a gift, the strangers concluded to get away in decent shape, and when Roby suggested that the money king should go to the city and put his money in a bank, the subsequent conversation was all on that point. Mr. Dennis at that time had no suspicion of the attempt that had been made to swindle him. After much resistance and boasting that he could take care of himself, the fellow with the money reluctantly consented to come to the city with Roby in the buggy and bank his money. Both drove off together. Shortly afterward Mr. Dennis came to the city, and meeting Marshal Mason related the story to him. He had no thought of crookedness, and simply came to town because he was anxious to learn whether the silly chap had banked his money. It took the marshal some time to convince Mr. Dennis that his callers were a pair of sharpers who had been planning for nearly a year to catch him on the card game and swindle him out of as much money as he might have had at his home, or get him to give up a check properly endorsed.

Of course all efforts to capture the sharpers have proven fruitless. A pretty good description of both was obtained from Mr. Dennis, but on coming to the city they must have left on the first outgoing train, or so disguised themselves that they could not be recognized. Similar swindles have been worked with success within the past two years at Danville, Jacksonville and Bloomington, and in each case the victim was an old farmer of wealth.

Beware of strangers.

Sales of Real Estate.

William Whitaker to Albert Whitaker, lots 14 and 15, block 34, Railroad Addition to Macon, $1.00.

Martha C. Jamison et al to Charles Schneider, lot 13, in block 1, of Carver's addition, on Calhoun street—$625.

H. Hanks to F. M. Patterson, the undivided one-half in 8 feet on South Main street, beginning 22½ feet north of lot 1, in block 2, of James Carter's addition, —$100.

F. M. Patterson to H. Hanks, all of lots 1 and 2, except 7 feet off the south side thereof in block 2, of James Carter's addition; also commencing at the northwest corner of said lot 1, thence north to the south line of South addition to Decatur, thence east to the west line of South Main street, thence south along said street to the north of James Carter's addition and thence west to the place of beginning, except 43 feet in width off of the south side of said real estate—$1250.

About the Proclamation.

MARSHAL'S OFFICE, July 2, '89.

In pursuance of the proclamation of the Mayor in regard to the firing of shot-guns, pistols and other firearms within the city limits on the fourth of July, notice is hereby given that all persons found shooting any shot-gun or pistol or other firearms or throwing firecrackers or other explosives on the sidewalks will be promptly arrested and punished.

2-d3 W. W. MASON, City Marshal.

Bright Outlook.

Rev. H. W. Trueblood of the U. B. church reports that the chances of the U. B. college, located at Westfield, being removed to Decatur, are very favorable. He ought to know, as he is one of the trustees.

A Shocking Accident.

While playing with firecrackers and 5 cents worth of powder in a tin cup, Arley Morris, aged 11 years, son of Mrs. Maggie Morris, met with a distressing accident at the Morris home on North Main street. The boy was in the back yard alone, and had placed the powder on the ground. While blowing an exploded firecracker near the powder an explosion took place, and Arley was horribly burnt in the face down to the mouth. Nearly all of his hair was burnt off his head, his features were blackened and distorted and both eyes were closed. Mrs. Morris heard the explosion and cries of the boy and hurried to the side to find him frightfully burned. He was carried into the house and Dr. Harsha attended him. It is believed that the boy will be able to use one of his eyes though the sight of both may be destroyed. The boy was able to dispute last night as to how the accident happened. He is a plucky boy, and last night did not seem to realize the terrible misfortune that had befallen him.

IN the County Court this forenoon, Drs. Emma Shimniski, aged 36, was adjudged insane. Cause unknown. The jurymen were Dr. H. D. Heil, D. L. Hughes, J. J. H. Young, Sr., George Nehinger, Josiah Abbott, J. K. Williams, W. H. Bailey, Wm. Bowers, Frank Moser, Harry Fisk, W. C. Foster and Juan Dunbar.

PERSONAL MENTION

Robert Faries and family are visiting friends in Bloomington.

Chairman Wash Smith, of Mt. Zion had business in Decatur to-day.

Levi Knisely and family will spend the Fourth in Cerro Gordo, visiting relatives.

D. A. Morris, Boody's hustling grain merchant, is in the city to-day.

Mayor Harris and son of Clinton, were in the city today.

Miss Clara Smith is entertaining Miss Hattie Broadwell, of Jacksonville.

Ol. Atchinson of Lovington, came in on the Effingham train to-day.

Miss Zoe Dunlap, of Cincinnati, arrived from St. Louis to-day. She is visiting Dr. Moore and family.

Attorney Brice Sterritt and family left for Livingstone County to-day to spend the fourth with relatives.

Miss Edith Rawley, of Waverly, is visiting her brother, Will Rawley, who resides on West Wood street.

Manager Haines will arrive home from New York in time to help Decatur celebrate the 4th.

States Attorney Mills, in response to a telegram, went to Dalton City to-day to look after a gambling case.

Master Guy, son of Frank Provost, of Toledo, Ohio, is visiting his grandfather Squire Provost.

Miss Lucy Roberts is home from Auburndale, Mass., where she has been attending Lasell Seminary.

Mrs. V. A. Bohon and Mrs. W. J. Bohon, of Danville, Ky., are in the city, guests of R. S. Bohon.

Ethel Ashmore, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Ashmore, of Mt. Zion, is visiting in the city.

Geo. D. Haworth and wife left for Chicago to-day. They expect to remain away a month or more.

John Spalding, of the Guards, left for Edwardsville to-day to visit friends on the Fourth.

Dr. Wm. Sturgis, of Macon, president of the pension examining board, was in the city to-day. He is greatly improved in health.

Rev. H. J. Vosburgh, of Lincoln, Ill., left for that place this morning, after spending a few days with his brother, Rev. Dr. Vosburgh.

Mrs. J. W. Tyler has gone to Denver, Colo., to visit her daughter, Mrs. S. D. Cooke. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Alice Tyler.

Quite a number of people took advantage of the reduced rates on the railroads to make visits out of the city and spend the fourth.

Supt. M. M. Martin, of the Wabash Car Department, returned from Saratoga, N. Y., accompanied by his daughters, Misses Mattie and Mabel.

Mr. Patterson, one of Sullivan's distinguished citizens stopped over in Decatur to-day. He is on his way to St. Louis where he expects to spend the fourth.

Will F. Kettlecamp, student at the Wesleyan University and a brother of Mrs. Henry Reist, who resides on the Haworth farm, west of the city, received shocking news this morning. It was notification of the fact that his classmate at the University, Fred. Sinsby, and his brother, had been drowned a few days ago near Des Moines, Iowa. Fred jumped into the river to rescue his brother and both perished. Fred was studying for the ministry.

Gone away: Ald. Graham and wife to Chicago; Miss Addie McCollister to Shawneetown; Walter Keeler and Harry Hamsher to Belleville; Misses Mae and Mollie Harwood to Chicago; Mrs. Sol Jennings to Bucker City, Ill.; John Scott to Brown county; Mrs. W. E. Hines to Spencer, Ind.; Mrs. Will J. McClelland and son to Omaha, Neb.

JOHN HOGAN, a line man for the Citizens' Electric Railway Company, fell from the top of a pole near the Union depot yesterday evening and was quite seriously injured. He is confined to room 16 at Combs' restaurant, suffering with a pain in his side. The cut on his head is not serious.

Officers Installed.

The following officers were installed at the regular meeting of Chevalier Bayard Lodge K. of P., last evening: H. C. Herd, C. C.; R. J. Simpson, V. C.; T. W. Pinkerton, prelate; J. W. Carter, K. of R. & S.; L. E. Foster, M. of F.; Chas. Kellam, M. of E.; J. F. Davis, M. of E.; J. F. Davis, M. of A.; C. T. Haight, I. G.; D. Aungst, O. G.

THE Hercules White Shirts, best made, at LINN & SCRUGGS'. jy3-dawtf

BLUE MOUND has a volunteer fire department for home protection. The officers of the hose company are L. L. Wood, captain and 1st plugman; Wm. Rapp, lieutenant: A. S. Clements, secretary and 2d plugman; Henry Smith, 1st nozzleman; J. T. Peel, 2d nozzleman; James Montgomery, 1st pipeman; Chas. Gross, Jr., 2d pipeman; John Harvey, 3d pipeman; John Young, 4th pipeman; Wm. Rapp and Lester Abrams, cartmen.

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Boys' Jersey Suits at Stine's. dtf

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75 PIECES

45-inch Swiss Flouncing, worth from $2.50 to $5, the Entire Lot for $1.78 per yard.

15 PIECES

65-inch all Silk Chantilly Flouncing, worth from $2.50 to $5.00, the Entire Lot for $2.15 Per Yard.

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FURNITURE AND STOVES!

TEN PER CENT. DISCOUNT FOR CASH will be given on the following goods, beginning July 1st, until further notice: BED ROOM SETS, PARLOR SETS, SIDEBOARDS, HAT RACKS, CENTER TABLES, BABY BUGGIES, COOK STOVES, GASOLINE Stoves ... we ... Furniture taken in exchange for New.

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Jersey Boys' Suits,
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Fine Night Shirts,
White and Fancy VESTS.
Boys' Shirts,
Boys' Flannel Shirts

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With a face so gay and a step so light?"
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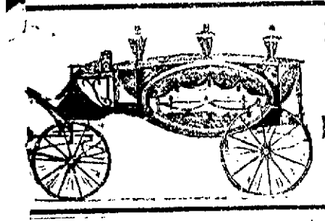

P. PERL,

EMBALMER

AND

Funeral Director

TABERNACLE BUILDING.

TELEPHONE 53.

Railroad Time Tables

(Corrected March 16, 1890.)

WABASH, ST. LOUIS & PACIFIC RAILWAY.

[NOTE—"From" denotes time of arrival, "To" denotes time of departure.

FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS.
No. 10 Pass....9 00 p m	No. 9 Pass....6 30 a m
No. 4 Pass....11.00 a m	No. 3 Pass....3:45 a m
No. 44 Pass....11:10 a m	No. 43 Pass....4 00 a m
No. 42 Pass....10:15 p m	No. 41 Pass....2 50 p m
No. 2 Pass....11:55 p m	No. 1 Pass....3.40 p m
No. 70 Freight 5:30 p m	No. 71 Freight 6.15 a m

FROM QUINCY.	TO QUINCY.
No. 42 Pass....10:10 p m	No. 43 Pass....4 20 a m
No. 44 Pass....10 50 a m	No. 41 Pass....3 10 p m
No. 4 Pass....6:15 a m	No. 1 Pass....9 05 p m
No. 48 Acc....7:05 p m	No. 47 Acc....6:15 a m
No. 70, Freight 10.15 a m	No. 71, Freight 6 00 p m

FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.	TO TOLEDO & DETROIT.
No. 48 Pass....8:50 a m	No. 46 Pass....5.10 p m
No. 46 Pass....2:30 p m	No. 44 Pass....9.40 a m
No. 44 Pass....9:00p m	No. 42 Pass....10 00 p m
No. 42 Pass....10:25 a m	No. 48 Pass....4 00 a m
No. 77 Pass	No. 47 Pass
Iowa Remount 1.00 a m	To Remount....5 00 p m

FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO.
No. 3 Pass....3:35 a m	No. 2 Pass....[illegible] a m
No. 5 Pass....2:45 p m	No. 4 Pass....[illegible] a m
No. 1 Pass....8 50 p m	No. 6 Pass....[illegible] a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 2 Pass....7:00 a m	No. 1 Pass....5.00 p m
No. 4 Pass....12:15 a m	No. 3 Pass....10 [illegible] a m
No. 12 Pass....2:05 p m	No. 11 Freight 8 [illegible] a m
No. 5, Champaign Line, arrives, 10.15 a m	No. 4, Champaign Line, leaves, 4.15 p m
No. 10, Freight 4:40 p m	

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN.

ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 1 Pass....2:43 p m	No. 2 Pass....11:42 a m
No. 3 Pass....4:00 a m	No. 4 Pass....10.40 a m
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PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

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Attachment Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY

In the County Court to the July Term, A. D. 1889

E. G. Allen & Bro. vs. George E. Smith Attachment.

It appearing from the affidavit of E. G. Allen, one of the above named plaintiffs, filed with the clerk of said court in the above entitled cause, that the above-named George E. Smith, defendant in said cause, among other things, is not a resident of the state of Illinois. Notice is therefore hereby given that a suit in attachment as above entitled has been commenced and is now pending in said court at the suit of the said E. G. Allen & Bro. against the estate of the said G. E. Smith for the sum of $96.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent. per [illegible] the date of the promissory note, by [illegible] severe enough [illegible] filing of said affidavit; rather than diminish [illegible] Smith, demand [illegible] appear in the whole estate [illegible] 1889, being that calls for punishment [illegible] that of attempting to trump an [illegible] people. [illegible]

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PLUNKETT ON MARRYING.

THE OLD MAN TELLS WHAT HE THINKS ABOUT MARRIAGE.

A Budget of Good Advice Given in a Homely Way—The Little Things from Which Serious Troubles Grow—Seeing with Young and Old Eyes.

"Hard times or good times marrying goes on," said Plunkett, as he reached for Brown's tobacco.

"They married in war times and parted in an hour, and before the tears of the young bride were dry from the parting the walls of the widow took their place; but marrying went on, and the Confederate government would give er fellow er furlough to go home and marry when he couldn't get home no other way.

HIS OWN EXPERIENCE.

"Young folks will marry and there's no use in talking to 'em. They won't take nobody's word orbout this matter, they are never satisfied till they try it and then they haint satisfied after they try and they wouldn't erbin satisfied if they hadn't er tried, and so it goes, its natur to think you'd or done better to have done something that you didn't do and whatever you do you're sorry you done it.

"Every time me and my old 'oman has er quarrel she swears that she could er married 380 fellows that's er heap better than me and I'm keen to swear that there wasn't that many unmarried fellows in the whole of Pike in her raising, but you needn't talk to er woman when she gets mad with her old man, for it's natur for 'em to think they could er married any fellow they wanted and they're mighty apt to not mention any fellow in this connection but what has got to the legislature or done some other big thing—that is when they're mad.

"Folks that marry do well (sometimes), but folks that don't marry do or darned sight better—sometimes. But it's my honest notion that no man ever got wrasted by marrying. The winin are the ones who suffer, if there's any suffering. Er man that don't do well by marrying wouldn't have done well no how, and any man can do well if he's got er good wife and will make the right start. There's more in the first year of married life than in any ten years arter that. The big thing is to think. Set down on er log erway out in the woods and study. Study your own character and your wife's character and your kin folks' character and her kin folk's character and end it up by swearing, right out there by yourself and the log, that you will go to er home of your own if it's er rail pen covered with wheat straw, and that you won't deceive your wife in nothing as you hope for her to not deceive you.

"The first few months of married life is mighty nice, very nice, and any fool in Georgia can have er good time then. But this marrying business ain't for er few months; it's for life. The pet words like my little petsy, sugar, apple dumpling, sorghum lasses and sich have to give way to sich as 'I'm not able to get you er fine pair er shoes, or dress, or hat; I've not got the money.' Er few weeks before I was married my sweetheart cut her eyes at me in admiration, and I know she thought I was the biggest fellow in Pike; but I come up to the house suddenly er few months arter I was married, and she was singing, and I stopped and listened and I caught these words:

"'But now he'll too small for er family man.

"That was enough of that song. I cleared up my throat and here she come and took on over me, but I couldn't understand what she was using sich words as the ones in the song for, and I was er little cold, jist er little, but she noticed it, and I have realized since that big streams from little fountains flow, etc. Never have the first quarrel. I don't see why everybody don't think of this.

AFTER THE HONEYMOON.

"Arter the honeymoon comes er season of a more substantial love. The love songs of the young days greet your ear as you approach the house.

"And then you've got to take the baby on your lap and pet it till the wife fixes the supper, and you're darnel glad when it gets fixed, sometimes. Onds enough, you think—you both think—but never mind, the day will come when that plump young mother will have er lot of 'em swinging onto her skirts, and it's all right, it's natur, and you wouldn't be satisfied without 'em, and children never kept folks from doing well any more than marrying did.

"I've seed Brown's wife with seven erround her hollering and following her wherever she would go, with one laying on er pallot in the middle of the kitchen kicking up its heels and crowing till the hound pup would grab the piece of fat meat from its hands and set it to bellowing too, and I wouldn't er been in their place for all they had, I thought; but another stage has come, and now I look upon the same children, fine men and wimin, and as the old folks go down the hill, at every rough place stands one of these, who reach out their hands and jump them over, and I would give the world to be like 'em.

"We never know what is best, and we are more than apt to be dissatisfied with whatever is, but the start that young folks make in their early married life has er heap to do with their future. Men should keep on courting their wives and wives should pet their husbands. Little hugs and kisses between man and wife is like sweet things among children—they won't het on but they like it, and if er young couple will go off in or home of their own, never let the third party come into their affairs, spend one hundredth part of the exertion to please each other as in their courting days, they will be happy, money or no money, children or no children—but it's best to have er few."—Sargo in Atlanta Constitution.

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"I WAS WRONG."

A Sad Episode Illustrating the Sorrow Such Words Often Prevent.

One morning in Wilkesbarre there was a great colliery explosion. Hundreds of Cornish miners were killed and their corpses lay at the mouth of the coal mine for recognition.

Sitting at the mouth, by a pale corpse, was a young wife. She looked at her husband, but uttered no cry; her eyes were dry. She rocked herself to and fro, her face white with anguish.

"Oh, that I had spoke fair to him at the end!" she moaned. "Oh, that he would come to life one minute, that I could say, 'Jimmy, forgive me,' but nothing will help me now. Oh, I could bear it all if I had only spoke fair to him at the end. Oh, Jimmy!"

And then, at last, the story came. They had been married a year—she and Jim—and they both "had tempers," but Jim was always the first to make up. And this very morning they had had trouble.

It began because breakfast wasn't ready, and the fire wouldn't burn; and they said hard words, both of them. But at the very last, though breakfast had not been fit to eat, Jim had turned round at the door and said:

"Gi'e me a kiss, lass. You know you love me, and we won't part in ill blood."

"No, Jimmy, I don't love you," I said, petulantly.

"Gi'e me one kiss, lass," pleaded Jimmy.

"No, not one! and now"—and then the tears rushed to her eyes.

With awful sobs she flung her arms around the corpse.

"Darling Jimmy! Darling Jimmy, speak to me now," she mourned. "Say you forgive me!"

"Do not grieve so hopelessly," I said; "perhaps Jimmy knows what you feel now."

But the mourner's ears were deaf to all comfort, and the wailing cry came again.

"Oh, if I had only spoke to him fair at the last!"

It is not an uncommon story this. We quarrel with those we love, and part and meet and make up again; and death is merciful and waits till we are at peace. Yet how possible is just such an experience to any one of us, who parts with some dear one in anger, or who lets the sun go down upon their wrath! But it is always the noblest nature, the most loyal heart, which is the first to cry:

"I was wrong; forgive me."—Unidentified.

A Thief Can Hiss Villainy.

A Pinkerton detective who tracked an embezzler to the play says: "A melodrama was the attraction, and it was in the middle of the first act that I came in. I did not want to raise a disturbance, so I took a seat behind my man and prepared to wait until the end of the performance. The scenes in the play were strong, the villain being unusually diabolical and the hero and heroine noble and patient. Frequently the latter found occasion to express their abhorrence and condemnation of thieves and those who violate confidence reposed in them, and quite as frequently the villain scoffed at sentiments of virtue and honesty. I found my man hissing violently at the villain every time he got a chance, and nearly splitting his hands in frantic applause for the hero and heroine. Tears came in his eyes when the latter were suffering, and he could hardly restrain his fierce anger at the villain. Yet after the play he took his arrest coolly and confessed without a wink. When he was arraigned in the police court the next day he swore point blank that he had never stolen a cent, and called me a liar when I testified to his confession. I have met such cases frequently. When there is no self interest at stake many criminals are virtuous, but that is as far as their sentiment goes."—New York Sun.

Ancient Mexican Customs.

A writer upon ways and customs in Mexico states that the wealthier chiefs among that ancient people were accustomed to the protection of a cuirass made of thin plates of gold or silver, and over this was thrown a "sur coat" of richest feather work.

Their helmets were so marvels of curious workmanship, fashioned of wood in resemblance of the heads of wild animals, or of more lavish expenditure of silver, on the top of which waved a bunch of variegated plumes, sprinkled with precious stones and ornaments of gold. These famous warriors indulged, as well, in fancy collars, earrings and bracelets, and bore with them banners of gayest hue; in all of these singularly devised adornments, feathers of the richest and rarest held prominent place.—Exchange.

Foot Notes a Nuisance.

A writer in the London St. James Gazette objects strongly to the use of foot notes in books, and particularly criticises Mr. Bryce's recent work on this account. He says: "Except for the purpose of relieving the text of references, the foot note has no proper place in any book that deserves to be called a book. It is at best a kind of purgatorio, to which an author consigns such remarks as he thinks unworthy of admitting to full honors, and yet has not the courage to cast out altogether. But there is hardly a page of Mr. Bryce's book without foot notes, and hardly a foot note which might not well have been incorporated in the text. Often, indeed, the foot note contains the very 'plum' of the page."

Half a Crown of Glory.

In an English Sunday school the lady teacher was impressing upon her pupils the necessity of being entirely devoted to God. "It won't do, my dear boys," she said "to be half hearted in this service. There is a crown of glory laid up for every one who is good all the time; but do you suppose there is anything for a boy who is good only half the time?" There was an oratorical pause for a moment, and then a big shock headed boy drawled out: "It do seem to me, talsus, that therm is is good 'arf the time, ought to get 'arf a crown, at least." —Letter.

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[illegible] Miss. Nov. 26, '88. MRS. S. M. DOUGLAS.

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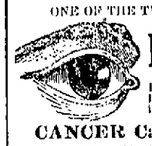

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the September Term, A. D. 1889.

Arah M. Aikin vs. Charles W. Aikin—In Chancery.

Affidavit of the non-residence in this state of said Charles W. Aikin, the defendant in the above entitled cause, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the circuit court of said county, notice is hereby given to the said Charles W. Aikin, that the above named complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendant, returnable on the first day of the next September term of said court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur in said county, on the Fourth Monday in the month of September, A. D. 1889.

Now, unless you, the said Charles W. Aikin, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true and a decree rendered according to the pray or thereof.

Dated Decatur, Illinois, June 24th, 1889.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
B. I. STERRETT, Solicitor for Complainant.
June21-d4w

Highway Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that proposals will be received by the Commissioners of Highways of Decatur Township, Macon county, Illinois, on the 6th day of July, 1889, for the grading and filling of earth work at the Grubb Bridge, commencing at the south end of Franklin street, running thence to trestle work, north end of said bridge, situated in Macon county; that the same will be let by contract, by public letting, to the lowest responsible bidder, at the hour of two o'clock p. m., at the Town Clerk's office in the city of Decatur. Plans and specifications can be seen at E. G. Allen & Bro.'s office.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids if they deem it to the best interests of the town, and no contract shall be considered let unless the contractor shall, within ten days after the letting, enter into contract and file a bond, with two good and sufficient sureties, with the Commissioners in the penal sum of double the amount of the contract, payable to the Commissioners of the Town upon failure to comply with the conditions of his or their contract.

Dated Decatur, Ill., the 22d day of June, 1889.

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C. M. CALDWELL,
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Commissioners.
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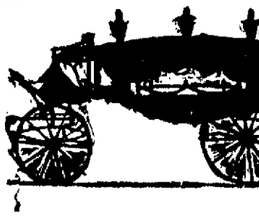

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This 22d day of June, A. D. 1889.

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